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Town of Billerica

1965

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IN MEMORIAM

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

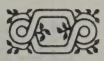
LEO F. PLOURDE

1950 - 1965

DIED MARCH 2, 1965

Age: 42 years, 5 months, 7days

IN MEMORIAM



SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAY

JACOB ELMER

1957 - 1958 - 1959

APPOINTED: July 7, 1956

RETIRED: May 20, 1960

DIED APRIL 1, 1965

Age: 71 years, 3 months, 7 days

GENERAL INFORMATION

AREA: 25.96 square miles.

ALTITUDE: 375 feet above sea level.

INCORPORATED: May, 1655.

POPULATION: 23,633 (1965 State Census)

DISTRICTS: Fifth Congressional, Sixth Councillor, Seventh Middlesex Senatorial and Nineteenth Middlesex Representative.

UNITED STATES SENATORS: Edward M. Kennedy of Boston and Leverett Saltonstall of Dover.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS: F. Bradford Morse of Lowell.

COUNCILLOR: G. Edward Bradley of Somerville.

STATE SENATOR: James J. Long of Woburn.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT: Stanley J. Bocko of Billerica.

ANNUAL ELECTION: First Saturday in March.

ANNUAL APPROPRIATION MEETING. Second Saturday in March.

OFFICES OPEN MONDAY EVENING: Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Assessors, Board of Health and Veterans' Agent.

SELECTMEN: Meet the first and third Monday of the month at 8:00 P.M.

QUALIFICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS VOTERS: Must be 21 years of age, American born and fully naturalized, and have resided in Massachusetts one year and Billerica six months. Registrations Monday through Friday 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and also Monday evening at the Office of the Town Clerk. Special evening sessions of Registrars held preceding elections.

ABSENTEE VOTING: State and National Elections.

DOG LICENSES: All dog licenses expire March 31st. A dog should be licensed when three months old. Fees: Male, $2.00; Female, $5.00; Spayed female, $2.00.

TAX BILLS: Due and payable July 1st. Interest will be added according to law from October 1st on bills unpaid after November 1st. Motor excise bills are due thirty days from date of issuance.

BOARD OF HEALTH: Householders shall report to the Board of Health all cases of communicable disease unless a physician is in attendance.

TAX RATE: $113.00 per $1,000.00.

ASSESSED VALUATION:

Personal Estate	$ 2,118,830.00
Real Estate	29,197,930.00
Total Assessed Estate	$31,316,760.00

AT YOUR SERVICE

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

POLICE ..... 663-3532 - 663-8443

FIRE ..... 663-3433 - 663-6071

CIVIL DEFENSE 663-3464

For Information On	Call	At
Aid to Dependent Children	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Assessments	Assessors	663-3591
Bills and Accounts	Accountant & Treasurer	667-7921 - 663-4321
Birth Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Building Permits	Inspections Dept.	663-4081
Cemetery		663-3448
Civil Defense	Director	663-3464
Death Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Disability Assistance Welfare	Welfare Department	663-2117
Dog Licenses	Town Clerk	667-1512
Dogs - Lost and Found	Dog Officer	663-8969
Draft Board	Draft No. 99	663-3734
Elections and Registrations	Town Clerk	667-1512
Entertainment Licenses	Selectmen	663-8882
Fire Permits	Fire Dept.	663-3433
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping Licenses	Town Clerk	667-1512
Fuel Oil Storage	Fire Dept.	663-3433
Garbage Collection	Board of Health	663-8417 - 663-2611
Health	Board of Health	663-2611
Dumping Permits	Board of Health	663-2611
Industrial Commission	Town Clerk	667-1512
Library	Public Library	663-3183
Marriage Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Milk Inspection	Board of Health	663-2611
Financial Statements	Town Clerk	667-1512
Planning	Planning Board	
Public Works Dept.		663-3742 - 663-2235
Old Age Assistance	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Playgrounds and Recreation	Selectmen	663-8882

School Department		
School Administration Bldg.		
Supt. of Schools		667-9811 - 663-4612
Ditson School		663-2255
Frederick J. Dutile School		663-3621 - 663-4359
Howe Jr. High		6633621 - 663-4359
Guidance Office		663-4222
Memorial High		
	Dietician	663-4251
	Guidance Dept.	667-9984 - 663-8711
	Nurse	663-4212
	Principal	663-2065
	Vice-Principal	663-4274
Parker School		663-8244
Pollard School		663-3631
Talbot School		663-3705
Eugene C. Vining		663-4912
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Inspector	663-8817
Selectmen	Selectmen	663-8882
Sewers	Public Works Dept.	663-3742 - 663-2235
Streets	Public Works Dept.	663-3742 - 663-2235
Tax Assessments	Assessors	663-3591
Tax Collections	Tax Collector	663-8882
Tax Title	Town Treasurer	663-4321
Town Hall	Custodian	663-8882
Tree and Moth		663-3742 - 663-2235
Town Accountant	Bills & Accounts	667-7921
Town Treasurer		663-4321
Veterans	Veterans' Service	663-3692
Voting and Registration	Board of Registrars	667-1512
Water	Public Works Dept.	663-3742 - 663-2235
Water Collections	Town Treasurer	663-4321
Welfare	Public Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Wire Inspector	Albert J. Hughes	663-2138
Zoning	Inspections Dept.	663-4081

DIRECTORY

TOWN OFFICERS - 1965

ELECTED

		Term Expires
Selectmen	Paul F. Newman, Chmn.	March 1967
	George E. Lewis, Vice-Chairman	March 1968
	David G. McKenna, Sec.	March 1966
	Stuart L. Potter	March 1966
	Russell A. Young	March 1968
Moderator	Marion D. Gould	March 1966
Town Clerk	Mildred A. Westhaver	March 1966
Town Treasurer	Robert H. Fowler	Tenure
Collector of Taxes	John F. Monahan	March 1968
Assessors	Henry F. Collins, Principal Asssessor	March 1967
	Arthur C. Barnard	March 1966
	Austin P. Bent	March 1968
Board of Health	Frederick H. Gould, Chairman	March 1966
	Frederick G. Brown, Co-Agent	March 1968
	Warren A. Hookway, Co-Agent	March 1967
Board of Public Welfare	William J. Morris, Chmn.	March 1966
	James J. Torpey	March 1968
	Leo F. Plourde, deceased March 2, 1965	
	Joseph R. Plourde appointed March 8, 1965	
School Committee	Robert F. Loranger, Chairman	March 1966
	Kenneth L. Buffum, Vice-Chairman	March 1966
	John T. Glavine, Sec.	March 1967
	Irving Folk	March 1968
	Paul J. Heffernan	March 1968
Planning Board	Richard D. Manning, Chairman	March 1968
	Gordon C. Brainerd, Vice-Chairman	March 1967
	Edgar A. Williams, Sec.	March 1966
	Thomas H. Conway, Jr.	March 1969
	Vincent M. Padula	March 1970
Cemetery Commissioners	Frederic H. Brown, Chmn.	March 1968
	Frank T. Dignon	March 1966
	Evelen A. Spaulding	March 1967
Constables	Joseph L. Ryan	March 1966
	Robert A. Olivieri	March 1966

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

PRECINCT ONE

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

Oliver P. Greenwood
Henry F. Collins
Edgar A. Williams
Helen M. Brainerd
Charles O. Hallenborg
Chester C. Sandberg
Irving Folk
Gilbert W. Griggs
Gladys C. Barnard
Robert A. Dunstan
Arthur C. Fillmore
Maurice J. Houlne
Morris Arakelian

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1967)

Gordon C. Brainerd
Frederic H. Brown
Daniel E. Canty, Jr.
Roger L. Foster
Frederick H. Gould
Marion D. Gould
Arthur R. Hallenborg
John W. Trainor
F. Virginia Williams
James M. Burke, Jr.
Robert E. Hentz
Thomas F. Powers
Philip H. Taylor

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1966)

Austin P. Bent
Frederick G. Brown
Bruce A. Brace
Andrew T. Card
Laurence J. Greenwood
Mildred F. S. Knox
Donald W. Davis
Michael C. Clery
Roger A. Toothaker, Jr.

PRECINCT TWO

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

Conrad LaFrance
Herbert C. Brown
O. Edward Dutile
Mary H. Dutile
Charles J. Faria
Francis A. Collins
Charles D. Burke
Dorothy H. Honnors
James H. McBride
Arthur L. Eno, Jr.
Hazel M. Burke
Ruth A. Conway
Beatrice B. Brigham
James F. Calder

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1967)

Stanley J. Bocko
Lawrence O. Bourque
Ernest C. Burke
Richard F. Conway
Thomas H. Conway, Jr.
Thomas H. Conway, Sr.
Lloyd J. Crandall, Jr.
John F. Jacobs
John F. McBride
Elizabeth F. McCarthy
Frederick H. Murray
Marion E. Potter
Stuart L. Potter
Raymond F. Trainor
Albert A. Dickinson
Ruth M. Dickinson

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1966)

Richard M. Loranger	Myron E. Knowles
Joseph A. Faria	Richard D. George
Paul J. Hayes	Raymond F. McColough
Major M. Cousens	Lillian V. Matthews
Robert F. Loranger	Eliot K. Parkhurst
John F. Nugent	Roland Poirier
George E. Lewis	Frank G. Fowler

(Unexpired Term - 1967)

Mary G. McBride	Agnes C. McColough

(Unexpired Term - 1966)

Catherine E. Beard	Katherine M. McSweeney

Elected by Members of Precinct 2

John H. Townsend	Charles Edwards

PRECINCT THREE

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

Paul F. Newman	Joseph A. Butler
Albert E. Boutwell	Harry N. Gillis
Arthur A. Curry	Berkeley W. Cue
Christina C. Kelly	Patrick B. Brien
Rose E. Kelm	Walter D. Donovan
Daniel F. McLaughlin	Beverly K. Smith
Joseph A. Havey	Charles J. Sullivan
Timothy P. Leahy	John E. Farmer
Josephine M. Berry	Paul Gladstone

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1967)

Hartwell W. Bernard	Francis L. Kelly, Jr.
Bartholomew J. Burns	Chester A. Pasho
Anthony E. Capaldo	Joseph L. Sullivan
Alice F. Donovan	James M. Battcock
John W. Fleming, Jr.	Francis E. Kepple
Marguerite E. Gill	Harry E. Newman
Sumner Gladstone	James A. Shaw

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1966)

Maurice A. Bent	Lorraine F. Donovan
Robert M. Gill	Kathryn E. Sullivan
Vincent M. Padula	Joseph A. Coneeny
Alice E. Donovan	Alfred Gladstone
William T. Desmond	John J. Landy, Jr.
Austra Upley	Mary A. Pasho
Donna M. Flavin	Pauline C. Desmond
Livio A. Buono	Lillie G. Thomas
Thomas G. Babcock, Jr.	Eleanore Colella
Mary B. Leahy	

PRECINCT FOUR

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

William H. Lavery
John W. Dolan
Kenneth J. Powderly
Ralph R. Bacon
Bessie M. Bacon
Robert F. Sweeney
Joseph S. Collentro
Stasia J. Rudgis
George E. Jacobson
Manuel J. Furtado
Edith M. Powderly

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1967)

Franklin G. Dustin
Alice D. Hosmer
Bertha M. Lyons
Rita M. Smith
Frank C. Theodoropoulos
William J. Thompson

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1966)

Paul J. Heffernan
James F. Columbus
Canute W. Lee
William R. Lee
John J. B. Arseneaux
Freeling T. McDewell
Helen C. Hyatt
Carl H. Tobey, Jr.
Everett McCue
Ruth M. McCue
Corinne B. Krochune
Elaine T. Horlink
Sidney Horlink
Putnam Stearns

(Unexpired Term - 1966)

Alice R. Lavery
Harry L. Norman

PRECINCT FIVE

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

William F. Burns
Elizabeth A. Johnson
Frank T. Dignon
Kenneth L. Buffum
Diane L. Harmon
Thomas K. McGuire
David G. McKenna
Marcello Olivieri
Harry J. Schwartz
Mary M. Harring
Robert K. Fresolo
John K. Summers
Paul M. Sullivan
Thomas P. Joyce
Francis W. Downes

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1967)

Eldridge W. Buffum
Theodore N. Colas
Henry D. Gaffny, Jr.
Richard D. George, Jr.
Leonard H. Harmon
Alf H. Hedberg
Robert E. Seeley
George E. Winn
Russell A. Young
Francis X. Halliday
John J. Harmon
Leonard F. Wooding
Donald R. Golden, Sr.
Harry S. Brown

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1966)

Gerald A. Finlayson
Florence M. Field
Howard J. Ralston
Lawrence G. Murray
Howard D. Taylor

(Unexpired Term - 1966)

Anna M. Buffum
Edward D. Shane

PRECINCT SIX

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

Joseph Revane
Philip H. Lewien
Leo F. Virgin
Gustav Wagner
James D. Sanford
Nellie M. Brannen
Raoul R. Dionne
John W. Bates, Jr.
Joseph T. Finnell, Jr.
Daniel V. Williams
Marcia S. Clark

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1967)

Walter W. Arakelian
Shirley J. Brannen
Angelo P. DeBenedictis
Warren A. Hookway
Richard D. Manning
Mariano T. Botelho
George Clark
Charles F. Fitzgerald
Roger C. Gosselin
Allan Jay Johnson
John J. McLaughlin, Sr.
Michael T. Revane
George J. Young, Jr.

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1966)

Hugh A. Manetta
George F. Livingston
Bryant L. Perry
Guy J. Sergi
Achsah G. Simonds
Anthony J. Ogonowsky
Philip L. Given, Jr.
Dorothy E. Murphy
Eugene J. Murphy
Kenneth T. Keefe

(Unexpired Term - 1966)

Elizabeth A. Bergeron
S. Robert Fox, Jr.

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS AT LARGE

John F. Monahan
Robert H. Fowler
William J. Morris
Robert F. Loranger
Paul F. Newman
Lewis M. Daniels
Frederic H. Brown
Jerome R. D'Addeo
Joseph L. Ryan
Paul H. Roper
Ralph J. McKenna
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
Mildred A. Westhaver
George R. Cushman
Henry F. Collins
Arthur A. Curry
Charles A. Considine
Charles W. MacRannolds
Richard D. Manning
Frederick H. Gould
Joseph H. Johnson

APPOINTED

Town Accountant	Ralph J. McKenna
Board of Registrars	Lewis M. Daniels, Chairman George L. Grantz Canute W. Lee Mildred A. Westhaver, Clerk ex officio
Chief of Police Department	Joseph L. Ryan
Chief of Fire Department	Paul H. Roper
Public Works Administrator	Armand E. Provost, Jr., Resigned
Supt. of Highway	James F. Connors
Supt. of Water Department	Walter R. Sullivan
Moth Supt. and Tree Warden	George F. Williams
Building Inspector	Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
Asst. Intermitt. Bldg. Inspector	William H. Moore, Jr.
Plumbing and Gas Inspector	Kenneth J. Powderly
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Charles A. Considine
Dog Officer & Cattle Inspector	Francis A. Collins
Board of Health Nurse	Helen J. Harrington, R.N.
Inspector of Slaughtering	John R. Brown
Supt. of Schools	Frederick C. Riel
Asst. Supt. of Schools	William H. Flaherty, Jr.
School Physicians	Dr. Orland S. Marshall Dr. S. Gunther Hajjar
School Nurses	Rita P. Freeman, R.N. Helen J. Rynne, R.N. Eileen Grady, R.N. Mary M. Nimmo, R.N.
Board of Public Welfare	Richard F. Conway, Director of Public Assistance
Veterans' Agent	Chester C. Sandberg
Appeal Board	Joseph H. Johnson, Chairman Ellis E. Cram Frederick H. Murray Robert A. Dunstan Michael Tomyl, Appointed
Alternates	Roger J. Bigold Bruce A. Brace Robert M. Gill, Resigned
Forest Warden	Paul H. Roper
Civil Defense Director	Charles J. Faria

Wire Inspector	Albert J. Hughes Humphrey F. Desmond
Industrial Commission	Arthur A. Curry, Chairman Claire H. Stoker, Secretary Gustav Wagner Kenneth L. Buffum Livio A. Buono Mildred A. Westhaver Henry F. Collins Raymond F. McColough Alfred Gladstone William L. Reynolds George E. Lewis Joseph A. Butler Leonard H. Harmon James H. McBride
Sanitarian	Robert W. Rimbach, R.S.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Donald W. Davis, Chairman ..... Term Expires 1967
Jerome R. D'Addeo, Vice-Chairman ..... Term Expires 1966
Austra Upley, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1966
James M. Jeffers ..... Term Expires 1966
Edward T. Morrison ..... Term Expires 1967
Margaret M. McGrath ..... Term Expires 1967
John F. McBride ..... Term Expires 1967
Harry S. Brown ..... Term Expires 1968
Robert E. Hentz ..... Term Expires 1968
Ralph W. Stoker ..... Term Expires 1968
John P. Fitzgerald ..... Term Expires 1968

Edward T. Morrison ..... resigned October 27, 1965
Harry S. Brown ..... resigned October 29, 1965
Ralph W. Stoker ..... resigned November 13, 1965
James M. Jeffers ..... resigned December 1, 1965
Bernard A. Morris ..... appointed November 1, 1965
Howard J. Ralston ..... appointed November 1, 1965
Samuel W. Lunt ..... appointed December 10, 1965
Gerald A. Finlayson .... appointed December 10, 1965

REORGANIZATION OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Jerome R. D'Addeo, Chairman ..... Term Expires 1966
Howard J. Ralston, Vice-Chairman ..... Term Expires 1968
Austra Upley, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1966
Gerald A. Finlayson ..... Term Expires 1966
Donald W. Davis ..... Term Expires 1967
John F. McBride ..... Term Expires 1967
Margaret M. McGrath ..... Term Expires 1967
Bernard A. Morris ..... Term Expires 1967
John P. Fitzgerald ..... Term Expires 1968
Robert E. Hentz ..... Term Expires 1968
Samuel W. Lunt ..... Term Expires 1968

REGISTERED SANATARIAN STUDY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 89 - March 13, 1965
Edward T. Morrison, Chairman
Mary M. Nimmo, R.N., Secretary
Stasia J. Rudgis, R.N.
Richard F. Conway
Frederick H. Gould

COMMITTEES PREVIOUSLY APPOINTED

BY-LAWS CODIFICATION COMMITTEE

Paul F. Newman, Chairman
Mildred A. Westhaver, Secretary
Arthur A. Curry

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Eliot K. Parkhurst, Chairman
John W. Fleming, Jr., Secretary

Thomas P. Harrington
Chester D. Ingraham
Robert M. Gill
Edward M. Bowe
Frederick C. Riel
Alton E. Westhaver
Michael H. Pickowicz

PERSONNEL BOARD

Charles W. MacRannolds, Chairman	Term Expires 1967
Robert H. Margeson, Vice-Chairman	Term Expires 1968
Stasia J. Rudgis, Secretary	Term Expires 1966
Frederick G. Morris	Term Expires 1966
Robert A. Olivieri	Term Expires 1969

TAX MAP COMMITTEE

Gustav Wagner, Chairman
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis, Secretary
Raymund J. Roche

RECREATION COMMITTEE

George R. Cushman, Chairman - Precinct 3
Frank P. Bernarducci, Secretary - Precinct 1
Joseph L. Ryan - Precinct 2
Jeremiah B. Mulcahy - Precinct 4
Marcello Olivieri - Precinct 5

WATER COMMITTEE

Ralph R. Bacon, Chairman ..... Precinct 4
Shirley J. Brannen, Vice-Chairman ..... Precinct 6
John A. Harrington, Secretary ..... Precinct 1
Frank J. McNulty ..... Precinct 2
Ernest C. Dick ..... Precinct 3
Roger W. Hodgdon ..... Precinct 5

RIVER PINES AND WEST BILLERICA PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

Edward C. Wellington, Chairman
Joseph J. Cavanaugh, Sr. James V. Nuzzolo

PERMANENT SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Vincent M. Padula, Chairman
Edward H. Fillmore, Vice-Chairman
Paul F. Newman, Secretary
Kenneth L. Buffum John T. Glavine
Thomas F. Powers William H. Lavery

NORTH BILLERICA FIRE STATION COMMITTEE

Lawrence O. Bourque, Chairman
Arthur R. Hallenborg, Vice-Chairman
Theodore N. Colas, Secretary
Charles J. Sullivan Paul H. Roper Roger C. Gosselin

TRAFFIC CONTROL COMMITTEE

Stanley J. Bocko, Chairman
George E. Lewis, Vice-Chairman
Mildred F. S. Knox, Secretary
Joseph L. Ryan Donald N. Schult
Kenneth N. Lewis Berkeley W. Cue

BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY

*Joseph H. Johnson, Chairman ..... Term Expires Aug. 26, 1966
Ruth M. McCue, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1966
Oliver P. Greenwood, Treasurer ..... Term Expires 1969
William T. Desmond, Asst. Treasurer ..... Term Expires 1970
John J. Harmon, Resigned: October 18, 1965
Leonard H. Harmon, Vice-Chairman, Appointed: November 1, 1965
*Appointed the State Member of the Billerica Housing Authority

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT PLANNING COMMITTEE

Everett McCue George M. Menezes John T. Glavine
Appointed November 26, 1965 by Moderator:
John T. Glavine to serve until Annual Town Meeting - 1967
George M. Menezes to serve until the Annual Town Meeting - 1966

COUNCIL FOR THE AGING

George R. Cushman, Chairman
Katherine R. White, Secretary

Frederick H. Gould
Dr. Warren A. Hookway
Ralph J. McKenna
Frederick C. Riel
Richard F. Conway
Helen A. Grimes
Rev. Daniel J. O'Keefe
Rev. Lloyd F. Martin

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE SELECTMEN

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

*Gustav Wagner, Chairman
*George S. Flint, Vice-Chairman
Florence M. Field, Secretary

*William E. Davis
John P. Fitzgerald
Joseph H. Johnson
Orris J. Nile

MEMBERS OF BILLERICA HISTORICAL SOCIETY COMMISSION

Robert E. Valyou, Chairman
Frederick L. Lawson, Vice-Chairman
Helen I. Magee, Secretary

William T. Desmond
Neil R. Mahoney
Stuart L. Potter
Isabel C. Jahnle
Richard D. Manning
Mildred A. Westhaver

*Member of the Town Forest Committee

VOTE FOR TOWN OFFICERS IN MARCH, 1965

Under the foregoing warrant the following votes were cast:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Prec. 6	Total
SELECTMEN (3 Years)							
George E. Lewis	341	609	568	285	354	292	2449
Raymond F. McColough	248	545	476	235	208	211	1923
Frank C. Theodoropoulos	234	273	241	193	204	222	1367
Russell A. Young	556	644	564	408	573	421	3166
Blanks	209	197	177	103	141	106	933
Total	1588	2268	2026	1224	1480	1252	9838
MODERATOR (1 Year)							
Marion D. Gould	632	901	861	516	617	533	4060
Blanks	162	233	152	96	123	93	859
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
TAX COLLECTOR (3 Years)							
John F. Monahan	674	940	914	540	650	567	4285
Blanks	120	194	99	72	90	59	634
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
ASSOCIATE ASSESSOR (3 Years)							
Austin P. Bent	635	822	809	451	445	433	3595
Charles A. Ronzio	118	185	140	118	250	159	970
Blanks	41	127	64	43	45	34	354
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
BOARD OF HEALTH (3 Years)							
Frederick G. Brown	660	921	858	509	619	536	4103
Blanks	134	213	155	103	121	90	816
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE (3 Years)							
James J. Torpey	625	944	838	484	596	523	4010
Blanks	169	190	175	128	144	103	909
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Years)							
Irving Folk	451	643	499	326	444	369	2732
Paul J. Heffernan	421	662	639	429	410	327	2888
Karl M. Gladstone	190	288	337	129	171	149	1264
Christina C. Kelly	357	442	397	238	357	310	2101
Blanks	169	233	154	102	98	97	853
Total	1588	2268	2026	1224	1480	1252	9838

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Prec. 6	Total
PLANNING BOARD (5 Years)							
Vincent M. Padula	601	890	877	475	600	518	3961
Blanks	193	244	136	137	140	108	958
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS (3 Years)							
Frederic H. Brown	645	882	820	497	598	511	3953
Blanks	149	252	193	115	142	115	966
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY							
Patrick B. Brien	276	486	520	284	334	286	2186
William T. Desmond	397	672	708	392	407	381	2957
Oliver P. Greenwood	583	657	553	340	450	340	2923
John J. Harmon	443	655	546	309	461	327	2741
Ruth M. McCue	420	494	499	338	376	299	2426
Joseph P. Revane	392	464	372	264	323	439	2254
Blanks	665	1108	854	521	611	432	4191
Total	3176	4536	4052	2448	2962	2504	19678
CONSTABLES (1 Year)							
Robert A. Olivieri	635	904	834	474	602	517	3966
Joseph L. Ryan	645	910	829	484	586	535	3989
Blanks	308	454	363	266	292	200	1883
Total	1588	2268	2026	1224	1480	1252	9838
QUESTION No. 1							
Yes	269	414	429	224	255	213	1804
No	486	664	511	349	457	394	2861
Blanks	39	56	73	39	28	19	254
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
QUESTION No. 2							
Yes	305	464	469	279	348	283	2148
No	457	611	483	290	370	326	2537
Blanks	32	59	61	43	22	17	234
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919
QUESTION No. 3							
Yes	299	467	490	285	362	281	2184
No	462	608	464	281	357	324	2496
Blanks	33	59	59	46	21	21	239
Total	794	1134	1013	612	740	626	4919

REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN ON THE ARTICLES OF THE WARRANT OF TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 13, 1965

The meeting was called to order at 10:25 a.m., by the Moderator, Mrs. Marion D. Gould.

Invocation was offered by Reverend Kevin G. McAndrews.

The meeting joined in singing the National Anthem, led by Elaine T. Horlink, accompanied by Helen J. Harrington at the piano.

The meeting stood for a short period in silence in memory of Leo F. Plourde, former member of Board of Public Welfare, who recently passed away.

The following were appointed Tellers by the Moderator and sworn in by the Town Clerk, Mildred A. Westhaver; Ralph R. Bacon, Bruce A. Brace and Shirley J. Brannen.

A rising count for a quorum showed there to be 176 Town Meeting Members present.

North Billerica Girl Scout Troop 329 were present as guests with Carol Bruyere.

Four Pages were appointed by the Moderator: Brent Davis, Catherine Horan, Patricia Pitta and James Williams.

Town Meeting Members not previously sworn since last election, were sworn in by the Town Clerk.

VOTED unanimously to dispense with the reading of the Warrant and return of service.

The Moderator was given unanimous consent to omit reading of articles and to refer to them by subject matter.

ARTICLE 1. The name of Mary C. Newman was nominated. VOTED unanimously to elect Mary C. Newman to Bowers Fund Commission for five year term.

ARTICLE 2. VOTED unanimously to appoint the Board of Selectmen as Fence Viewers, Constables Joseph L. Ryan and Robert A. Olivieri as Keepers of the Lock-up and Thomas Connell and Robert Innis as Surveyors of Wood and Lumber.

ARTICLE 3. The report of the By-law Codification Committee was read by Paul F. Newman.

Eliot K. Parkhurst reported for the Howe Junior High School Building Committee.

Charles W. MacRannolds reported for the Personnel Board. It was moved and voted that this report be accepted as read and that this Board continue its studies of wages and salaries and fringe benefits for all town employees with the exception of the elected

officials and those under the jurisdiction of the School Committee so that the 1966 Annual Town Meeting can have available an up-to-date set of recommendations for their consideration. All information and recommendations to be made available to the Committees, Boards and Departments concerned.

Gustav Wagner reported for the Tax Map Committee.

John D. O'Brien read report of the Recreation Committee.

VOTED that the report of the Water Committee be tabled until immediately prior to Article 71.

VOTED that report of the River Pines and West Billerica Playground Committee be taken up just prior to Article 60.

VOTED that report of Permanent School Building Committee be read immediately prior to Article 58.

VOTED that report of North Billerica Fire Station Committee be taken up just prior to Article 32.

VOTED that report of Traffic Control Committee be taken up just prior to Item 420 under Article 4.

The Town Meeting Members were informed that the report of the Conservation Commission was printed in the Town Report.

VOTED that the report of the Regional Vocational School Planning Committee be taken up just prior to Article 57.

VOTED that Article 74 be brought forward at this time.

ARTICLE 74. A motion was made that the Town vote to adopt the following by-law: All Town Employees who use their vehicles in the performance of their duties for the Town shall be compensated at the rate of ten cents per mile. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that the Town vote to adopt the following by-law, as stated above, was then put to a vote and was so voted.

ARTICLE 4. The Moderator explained the pass system which was to be used under Article 4 to the Town Meeting Members.

VOTED unanimously that all items not passed under Article 4 will be appropriated as read.

Under Article 4 the following amounts were voted:

100	Selectmen	
101	Salaries	$ 5,000.00
102	Clerk Wages	600.00
103	Expense	1,355.00
104	Out of State Travel	300.00
110	Accountant	
111	Salary	6,915.00
112	Clerk Wages	1,200.00
113	Expense	600.00
114	Capital Outlay	—
115	Out of State Travel	100.00

120	Treasurer	
121	Salary	6,135.00
122	Clerk Wages	7,135.00
123	Expense	1,561.00
124	Perfection of Tax Titles	500.00
125	Other Finance Expense	75.00
126	Out of State Travel	100.00
127	Capital Outlay	350.00
130	Collector of Taxes	
131	Salary	7,362.00
132	Clerk Wages	8,978.27
133	Expense	3,150.00
134	Tax Sale Expense	300.00
135	Capital Outlay	225.00
140	Assessors	
141	Salary (Principal)	7,158.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)	3,000.00
143	Clerk Wages	10,485.00
144	Expense	3,630.00
145	Capital Outlay	50.00
150	Town Clerk	
151	Salary	6,646.00
152	Clerk Wages	3,875.00
153	Expense	1,556.00
154	Capital Outlay	50.00
155	Out of State Travel	200.00
160	Board of Registrars	
161	Salaries	1,000.00
162	Clerk Wages	3,724.00
163	Expense	3,750.00
165	Election Department	
166	Salaries	2,188.00
167	Expense	920.00
170	Town Hall	
171	Salary	5,270.00
172	Vacation and Sick Replacement	400.00
173	Expense	3,071.00
175	Legal Department	
176	Expense	5,000.00
180	Finance Committee	
181	Expense	900.00
185	Planning Board	
186	Clerk Wages	594.00
187	Expense	5,700.00
190	Board of Appeal	
191	Expense	1,800.00
195	Personnel Board	
196	Expense	150.00

200	Police Department	
201	Salaries	191,957.00
202	Clerk Wages	1,000.00
203	Expense	19,953.00
204	Ambulance Expense	1,500.00
205	Capital Outlay	785.00
210	Fire Department	
211	Salaries	249,224.00
212	Clerk Wages	3,803.00
213	Expense	20,700.00
214	Forest Fire Patrol	400.00
220	Civil Defense	
221	Salary	1,300.00
222	Clerk Wages	850.00
223	Expense	3,790.00
230	Building Department	
231	Salaries	16,359.00
232	Clerk Wages	3,837.00
233	Expense	2,825.00
234	Demolition	200.00
235	Out of State Travel	100.00
236	Capital Outlay	100.00
240	Wire Inspector	
241	Salary	1,800.00
242	Assistant — Salary	800.00
243	Expense	650.00
250	Sealer of Weights and Measures	
251	Salary	1,000.00
252	Expense	500.00
260	Dog Officer	
261	Salary	1,600.00
262	Expense	834.00
263	Use of Kennels	100.00
300	Cattle Inspector	
301	Salary	250.00
310	Board of Health	
311	Salaries	3,100.00
312	Clerk Wages	600.00
313	Expenses	5,700.00
314	Dump	8,500.00
315	Garbage Contract	27,300.00
316	Hospitalization	10,000.00
317	Capital Outlay	100.00
320	Public Health Nurse	
321	Salary	5,146.00
322	Expense	1,200.00
323	Vacation Replacement	432.00

330	Milk Inspector	
331	Salary	1,950.00
332	Expense	700.00
400	Public Works	
401	Salaries	229,437.00
401A	Salary (Administrator)	8,873.00
401B	Salary (Highway Superintendent)	6,745.00
402	Overtime	13,900.00
404	Expense	33,150.00
405	Street Numbering	500.00
410	Highway Department	
411	Expense	17,400.00
412	Equipment Rental	4,500.00
413	Road Machinery	5,000.00
414	Tar and Oil	30,000.00
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,500.00
416	Chapter 90 Construction	11,900.00*
417	Snow and Sand	60,000.00
418	Street Lighting	23,500.00
419	Bituminous Concrete	20,000.00
420	Surveys and Engineering	5,000.00
450	Water Department	
451	Expense	41,350.00
452	Chemicals and Lab. Supplies	18,000.00
460	Park and Tree Department	
461	Expense	3,500.00
462	Poison Ivy	500.00
463	Moth Control	1,000.00
464	Parks and Playgrounds	2,000.00
465	Dutch Elm	1,000.00
470	Sewerage Department	
471	Expense	3,000.00
500	Welfare Department	
501	Salaries	12,980.00
502	Administration	500.00
503	Outside Cities	1,000.00
510	Welfare Benefits	
511	To be appropriated	192,400.00
570	Department of Veterans' Services	
571	Salary	1,500.00
572	Expense	850.00
575	Veterans' Benefits	
576	To be appropriated	75,000.00
600	School Department	
601	Salaries and Wages	1,840,204.00
602	Expense	472,951.14*
603	Out of State Travel	400.00
604	Vocational Education	8,000.00

700	Debt Payment	
	Standpipe Construction	4,000.00
	Water Works	30,000.00
	Water Mains 1954	10,000.00
	Filtration Plant	15,000.00
	Water Mains 1956	20,000.00
	Ditson School	20,000.00
	Parker School	35,000.00
	Memorial High School	105,000.00
	Nuttings Lake School	35,000.00
	Nuttings Lake School (note)	5,000.00
	Jr. High Addition	80,000.00
	Treble Cove Rd. School	34,584.00
	East Billerica School	57,150.00
	Street, Sewer and Buildings	20,000.00
750	Interest Payments	
751	Interest on Bonds	121,429.00
752	Short Term Interest	20,000.00
800	Recreation Commission	
801	Salaries and Wages	9,520.00
802	Expense	3,700.00
803	Golden Age	500.00
810	Cemetery Commission	
811	Salaries and Wages	13,000.00
812	Expense	1,600.00
850	Unclassified	
851	Printing Town Report	2,745.00
852	Memorial Day	850.00
853	Building Insurance	11,500.00
854	Group Insurance	45,000.00
855	Workmen's Compensation	6,000.00
856	VFW Quarters (Pinehurst)	200.00
857	DAV Quarters	200.00
858	VFW Quarters (Solomon Post)	200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk	275.00
890	RESERVE FUND	20,000.00
TOTAL		$4,591,996.41

The following action was taken on items passed under Article 4.

Item 101. Selectmen — Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $5,000.00 for Selectmen Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $3,500.00. After discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted. The motion to raise and appropriate $5,000.00 for Selectmen Salaries was then put and so voted.

Item 103. Selectmen — Expense. VOTED to raise and appropriate $1,355.00 for Selectmen Expense.

Item 111. Accountant — Salary. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $6,915.00 for Town Accountant Salary.

Item 115. Accountant — Out of State Travel. VOTED to raise and appropriate $100.00 for Accountant Out of State Travel.

Item 126. Treasurer — Out of State Travel. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $100.00 for Town Treasurer Out of State Travel.

Item 127. Treasurer — Capital Outlay. VOTED to raise and appropriate $350.00 for Treasurer — Capital Outlay.

Item 131. Collector of Taxes — Salary. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $7,362.00 for Collector of Taxes Salary. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $7,750.00 for Collector of Taxes Salary from April 1. After discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted. The motion to raise and appropriate $7,750.00 was declared lost by the Moderator on a voice vote. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 74 votes in the affirmative and 81 in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $7,362.00 for Collector of Taxes Salary was so voted.

The meeting was adjourned for lunch and reopened at 1:20 p.m. with 143 Town Meeting Members present.

Item 132. Collector of Taxes — Clerk Wages. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $8,752.00 for Collector of Taxes Clerk Wages. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $8,978.25, and this was so voted.

Item 133. Collector of Taxes — Expense. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $3,150.00 for Collector of Taxes Expense.

Item 151. Town Clerk — Salary. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $6,646.00 for Town Clerk Salary.

Item 153. Town Clerk — Expense. VOTED to raise and appropriate $1,556.00 for Town Clerk's Expense.

Item 154. Town Clerk — Capital Outlay. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $50.00 for Town Clerk Capital Outlay.

Item 155. Town Clerk — Out of State Travel. VOTED to raise and appropriate $200.00 for Town Clerk Out of State Travel.

Item 161. Board of Registrars — Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $1,000.00 for Board of Registrars Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $1,400.00 and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $1,000.00 for Board of Registrars Salaries was voted unanimously.

Item 166. Election Department — Salaries. VOTED to postpone action on this item until the first order of business at the next session of the town meeting.

Item 167. Election Department — Expense. VOTED to postpone action on this item until the second order of business at the next session of the town meeting.

Item 187. Planning Board — Expense. VOTED to raise and appropriate $5,700.00 for Planning Board Expense.

A motion was made to take up Item 211, Fire Department Salaries, ahead of salaries of the Police Department. This motion was

declared lost on a voice vote, by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote with 102 votes in the affirmative and 57 in the negative and the motion was lost. (Not a two-thirds vote.)

Item 201. Police Department — Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $183,412.00 for Police Department Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $183,070.00, and another motion to raise and appropriate $191,957.00. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of the voice vote on the motion to raise and appropriate $191,957.00 and called for a rising vote. There were 95 votes in the affirmative and 94 in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion to reconsider Item 201 was lost.

Item 210. Fire Department — Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $236,392.00 for Fire Department Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $249,244.00 under this item and this was so voted. A motion to reconsider Item 210 was lost.

Item 221. Civil Defense — Salary. VOTED to raise and appropriate $1,300.00 for Civil Defense Salary.

Item 223. Civil Defense Expense. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate $3,790.00 for Civil Defense Expense.

Item 231. Building Department Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $15,898.00 for Building Department Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $15,765.00, and other motion to raise and appropriate $16,359.00. The Moderator declared the motion to raise and appropriate $16,359.00 as lost, on a voice vote. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and was put to a rising vote. There were 70 votes in the affirmative and 61 votes in the negative and the motion for $16,359.00 for Building Department Salaries was so voted. A motion to reconsider Item 231 was lost.

Item 233. Building Department Expense. VOTED to raise and appropriate $2,825.00 for Building Department Expense.

Item 243. Wire Inspector Expense. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $650.00 for Wire Inspector Expense.

Item 251. Sealer of Weights and Measures — Salary. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $1,000.00 for Sealer of Weights and Measures Salary. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $900.00. The motion to raise and appropriate $1,000.00 for Sealer of Weights and Measures Salary was so voted.

Item 263. Dog Officer — Use of Kennels. VOTED to raise and appropriate $100.00 for Dog Officer, Use of Kennels.

Voted to take up Article 89 before Item 311.

ARTICLE 89. A motion was made that Article 89 be accepted as written. This was followed by a motion to lay Article 89 on the table. This motion was withdrawn and the second was withdrawn. It was then moved and voted to lay Article 89 on the table until the third order of business at the next session of the Town meeting.

Item 311. Board of Health — Salaries. It was moved and voted to lay Item 311 on the table until the fourth order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

Item 312. Board of Health — Clerk Wages. It was moved and voted to lay Item 312 on the table until after the fourth order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

Item 313. Board of Health — Expense. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate $5,700.00 for Board of Health Expense.

Item 314. Board of Health Dump. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $8,500.00 for Board of Health Dump. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on this item until the sixth order of businesss at the next session of the Town Meeting and this was so voted.

Item 315. Board of Health — Garbage Contract. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $27,300.00 for Board of Health Garbage Contract. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $28,800.00 under this item and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $27,300.00 for Board of Health Garbage Contract was so voted.

Item 316. Board of Health — Hospitalization. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $5,000.00 for Board of Health Hospitalization. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $10,000.00 for Board of Health Hospitalization and this was so voted.

Item 331. Milk Inspector — Salary. It was moved and voted to lay Item 331 on the table until the seventh order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

Item 401. Public Works — Salaries. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $229,437.00 for Public Works Salaries.

Item 401a. Public Works Administrator — Salary. VOTED to raise and appropriate $8,873.00 for Public Works Administrator Salary.

Item 401b. Public Works Highway Superintendent — Salary. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $6,597.00 for Public Works Highway Superintendent Salary. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $6,745.00 under this item. Another motion was made to lay this article on the table as the last order of business at the Town Meeting. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to lay this item on the table until the last order of business at the Town Meeting was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $6,745.00 for Public Works Highway Superintendent was so voted.

Item 402. Public Works — Overtime. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $13,900.00 for Public Works Overtime. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate $13,900.00 for Public Works Overtime was then put to a vote and was unanimously voted.

Item 403. Public Works — Summer Help. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $6,500.00 for Public Works Summer Help.

This was followed by a motion that this item 403 be indefinitely postponed and this was so voted.

Item 405. Public Works — Street Numbering. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $500.00 for Public Works Street Numbering. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $1,000.00 under this item and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $500.00 for Public Works Street Numbering was so voted.

*Item 416. Highway Department — Chapter 90 Construction. Under this item it was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $11,900.00 and that the sum of $35,700.00 be voted on a short term bond.

**Item 420. Highway Department — Surveys and Engineering. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate $5,000.00 for Highway Department Surveys and Engineering, $1,500.00 of which to be allocated to Traffic Study Committee's project.

Item 451. Water Department — Expense. VOTED to raise and appropriate $41,350.00 for Water Department Expense.

Item 471. Sewerage Department — Expense. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $3,000.00 for Sewerage Department Expense.

Item 511. Welfare Benefits. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $192,400.00 for Welfare Benefits.

Item 601. School Department — Salaries and Wages. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $1,840,204.00 for School Department Salaries and Wages.

Item 602. School Department — Expense. It was moved and voted to postpone Item 602 to the eighth order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

Item 700. Debt Payments, Treble Cove Road School. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $34,584.00, and to transfer the sum of $416.00 from premium on Treble Cove Road School, making a total of $35,000.00 for debt payments under this item. Unanimous.

Item 700. Debt Payments, East Billerica School. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $57,150.00 and to transfer from premium on East Billerica School the sum of $2,850.00 making a total of $60,000.00.

Item 700. Debt Payments, Street, Sewer and Buildings. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000.00 under this item. Unanimous.

Item 751. Interest on Bonds. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $121,429.00 and to transfer from accrued interest the sum of $1,340.00, making a total of $122,769.00 for Interest on Bonds. Unanimous.

Item 851. Printing Town Report. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $2,745.00 for printing Town Report.

Item 852. Memorial Day. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for Memorial Day.

Voted to adjourn until 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 20, 1965. Time - 5:00 p.m.

MARCH 20, 1965

The meeting was called to order at 10:30 a.m., by the Moderator, with 133 Town Meeting Members present. Town Meeting Members not previously sworn who were elected this year, were sworn in by the Town Clerk.

Item 166. Election Department, Salaries. VOTED to raise and appropriate $2,188.00 for Election Department, Salaries.

Item 167. Election Department, Expense. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $920.00 for Election Department, Expense.

ARTICLE 89. A motion was made that Article 89 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion that this article be sent to a committee of five appointed by the Moderator to study the intent and purpose of this article and report their findings to the next Special or Annual Town Meeting, and this was so voted.

Item 311. Board of Health Salaries. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,100.00 for Board of Health Salaries.

Item 312. Board of Health Clerk Wages. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $600.00 for Board of Health Clerk Wages.

Item 314. Board of Health, Dump. It was moved and voted that this item be postponed until the first order of business at the next session of this Town Meeting. Unanimous.

Item 331. Milk Inspector Salary. The sense of the meeting was in agreement with request of the Personnel Board that in the future the listing of this position should be changed by the Board of Health to the title of Food and Beverage Sanitary Inspector.

It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,950.00 for Milk Inspector Salary.

Item 602. School Department Expense. A motion was made to transfer the sum of $14,297.76 from the following Accounts: North Billerica Fire Station Building Committee, $22.90; East Billerica School Land Taking, $674.80; Sanitation Survey, Nuttings Lake, $250.00; Algae Control, Nuttings Lake, $800.00; Planning Board Legal Expenses (1964 Article 41), $449.95; Public Works Department, 2 Dump Trucks, $311.00; Drainage, Pine, Central, Rhodes, $394.60; Drainage on Andover Road, $216.77; High Lift Pump, $6,855.28; Housing the Generator, $2,750.00; Public Works Department, Garage Addition, $383.40; River Pines Field House, $189.06; Backstop, River Pines Playground, $1,000.00; and to raise and appropriate the sum of $471,878.24, making a total of $486,176.00 for School Department Expense.

A motion was made to delete the transfer of $22.90, North Billerica Fire Station Building Committee. Another motion was made to delete the transfer of $250.00, Sanitation Survey, Nuttings Lake, and $800.00, Algae Control, Nuttings Lake. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. It was then voted to delete

the transfer of $250.00, Sanitation Survey, Nuttings Lake, and $800.00, Algae Control, Nuttings Lake, and to raise and appropriate these amounts. It was voted to delete the transfer of $22.90, North Billerica Fire Station Building Committee, and to raise and appropriate this amount. The original motion with amendments was then voted, the amount to be transferred $13,224.86, the amount to be raised and appropriated $472,951.14, making a total of $486,176.00 for School Department Expense.

Voted unanimously to set the salaries of the elected Town Officials under Article 4 as follows: Selectmen $5,000.00; Accountant $7,004.00; Treasurer $6,180.00; Tax Collector $7,416.00; Assessors, Principal $7,210.00; Assistants, $3,000.00; Town Clerk $6,695.00.

ARTICLE 5. VOTED unanimously that Article 5 be accepted as written.

ARTICLE 6. VOTED unanimously that Article 6 be accepted as written.

ARTICLE 7. VOTED to raise and appropriate $6,833.25 and to transfer from the State Aid for Libraries Account $8,933.50 to aid in the support of the Bennett Public Library.

ARTICLE 8. A motion was made that Article 8 be accepted as written. An amendment was made that advance notice shall be given by registered mail, cost to be borne by the purchaser. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. It was then voted to postpone this article until the second order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting. (This in order that a more specific article be obtained from Town Counsel.)

Article 9. VOTED that Article 9 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 10. A motion was made that Article 10 be dismissed. A motion that this article be passed as written was declared not in order by the Moderator. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 10 be dismissed was lost. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,789.22 to pay bills as set forth under Article 10. This was a rising vote with 172 votes in the affirmative and 11 in the negative.

ARTICLE 11. VOTED unanimously to transfer to Surplus Revenue the unexpended balances of the following accounts: Town Hall Drain Repairs, $3.09; Police Department, Equip and Maintain Donated Vehicle, $.88; Drainage-Payson Road, $4.45; Band Concerts, $72.00; Landscaping River Pines Playground, $.82; Total $81.35.

Voted to adjourn to 1:00 P.M.

1:15 P.M. Quorum—130 Town Meeting Members.

ARTICLE 12. A motion was made to postpone any action on Article 12 until after action on Article 13. A motion was made to postpone action on Article 12 until the third order of business at

the next session of the Town Meeting. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to postpone action on Article 12 until the third order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting was so voted.

ARTICLES 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18. It was moved and voted individually to postpone action on Articles 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, to the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth order of business respectively, at the next session of the Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 19. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $13,800.00 under Article 19 to employ three permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate $4,600.00 under this article, to employ three permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same. The motion to raise and appropriate $13,800.00 under Article 19 was declared so voted by the Moderator, on a voice vote. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and put to a rising vote with 96 votes in the affirmative and 61 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 20. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $7,200.00 to purchase a new ambulance for the Town of Billerica, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade or sell the 1959 Pontiac Ambulance, to be applied against the purchase price of the new ambulance. A motion was made that Article 20 be indefinitely postponed. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $8,800.00 to purchase a new ambulance for the Town of Billerica, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade or sell the 1959 Pontiac Ambulance, to be applied against the purchase price of the new ambulance. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 20 be indefinitely postponed was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $8,800.00 to purchase a new ambulance for the Town of Billerica, as stated above, was so voted.

ARTICLE 21. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,691.00 to purchase two 1965 Dodge Station Wagons and one 1965 Dodge Four-door Sedan, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade the two 1964 Dodge Station Wagon type cars and the 1963 Dodge four-door sedan.

ARTICLE 22. VOTED that Article 22 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 23. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $31,000.00 to purchase a new 1,000 gallon engine complete with equipment for the Fire Department in accordance with specifications as drawn up by the Board of Selectmen and the Fire Chief. Another motion was made that Article 23 be postponed until after action on Article 32. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 23 be postponed until after action on Article 32 was lost. An amendment was made that

the old Engine 2 be transferred to the Civil Defense Department. A motion was made that disposal of the old Engine 2 be left to the discretion of the Fire Chief and this was so voted. The motion that the old Engine 2 be transferred to the Civil Defense Department was lost. The motion as amended to raise and appropriate the sum of $31,000.00 to purchase a new 1,000 gallon engine complete with equipment for the Fire Department in accordance with specifications as drawn up by the Board of Selectmen and the Fire Chief and that the disposal of the old Engine 2 be left to the discretion of the Fire Chief was so voted.

ARTICLE 24. Voted unanimously that Article 24 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 25. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,300.00 to extend the Fire Alarm wires to the new school on Kimbrough Road, East Billerica.

ARTICLE 26. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,600.00 to purchase a new heavy duty two and one-half (2½) truck chassis for the Fire Department.

ARTICLE 27. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $582.00 to purchase a high pressure centrifugal gas driven pump.

ARTICLE 28. A motion was made to employ three additional fire fighters for the Fire Department. A motion was made to employ five additional fire fighters under this article. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. A motion was made to postpone action on this article until the tenth order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 29. VOTED to postpone action on Article 29 until after discussion of Article 28 at the next session of the Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 30. VOTED unanimously that Article 30 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 31. A motion was made that Article 31 be dismissed. A motion was made to postpone Article 31 to the eleventh order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting and this was so voted.

A report of the Fire Station Committee was read by Lawrence Bourque.

ARTICLE 32. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,800.00 and to borrow on a five year bond issue the sum of $85,000.00 for a total of $94,800.00 to build and equip a fire station and designate the North Billerica Fire Station Committee, appointed under Article 23 of the Warrant of the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1963, as a North Billerica Fire Station Committee with full authority to enter into all contracts and agreements necessary to

construct, equip and furnish a new fire station, and for any expenses connected therewith, including architectural and legal expenses.

A motion was made to postpone action on Article 32 until after action is taken on Articles 28, 29 and 31.

After discussion the previous question was moved and voted with 116 votes in the affirmative and 30 in the negative. The motion to postpone this article until after action on the other Fire Department articles at the next session, was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,800.00 and to borrow on a five year bond issue the sum of $85,000.00 for a total of $94,800.00 to build and equip a fire station, as stated above, was so voted with 140 votes in the affirmative and 18 votes in the negative.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 32 was not carried.

ARTICLE 33. VOTED that Article 33 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 34. A motion was made that Article 34 be dismissed. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $3,800.00 to purchase a brush chipper for the Public Works Department. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to dismiss Article 34 was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and was put to a rising vote. There were 59 votes in the affirmative and 97 in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,800.00 to purchase a brush chipper for the Public Works Department was so voted.

ARTICLE 35. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,200.00 to install a commercial band radio communication system for the Public Works Department. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 36. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,250.00 to purchase one new dump truck with body for the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 37. VOTED to raise and appropriate $1,400.00 to purchase a billing machine for the water billing department of the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 38. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 to install a drainage system in Hillside Road. A motion was made to postpone this article until after action was taken on Article 50. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to postpone this article until after action on Article 50 was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 to install a drainage system in Hillside Road was put to a rising vote by the Moderator who was in doubt as to the results of this vote and called for a rising vote. There were 70 votes in the affirmative and 56 in the negative and the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 39. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,600.00 to install a drainage system in Salem Road and Floyd Street. An amendment was made to put the $9,600.00 under betterments. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that the $9,600.00 be put under betterments was lost. This decision of the Moderator on a voice vote was doubted by a sufficient number and put to a rising vote. Without a count the Moderator declared there were not enough standing votes to pass the motion. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,600.00 to install a drainage system in Salem Road and Floyd Street was put to a rising vote by the Moderator who was in doubt as to the result of this vote and called for a rising vote. There were 36 votes in the affirmative and 63 in the negative and the motion was lost.

Voted to adjourn until 9:30 a.m., Saturday, March 27, 1965. Time 5:15 p.m. Prior to the vote on adjournment, notice was given for reconsideration of Article 38 at this time. The Moderator declared this out of order as the motion to adjourn had already been made, but accepted the notice.

MARCH 27, 1965

The Town Meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m., by the Moderator, with 139 Town Meeting Members present.

ARTICLE 4. Item 314. Board of Health, Dump. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,500.00 for Board of Health, Dump.

It was moved and voted that Article 73, Article 86 and Article 87 be placed on the first order of business after lunch.

ARTICLE 8. A motion was made that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to sell the property taken by the Town under tax title procedure under the following terms and conditions:

1. No such property shall be sold for less than the total unpaid taxes or the assessed valuation whichever is greater.

2. Notice of intention to sell shall be published in a newspaper of local circulation for two consecutive weeks, the last notice to appear not less than ten days before said sale. The notice shall include the minimum acceptable bid as set forth above.

3. In the case of lots with less area or frontage than required by the Zoning By-Law in the applicable district, the property shall be awarded to the abutting owner, if any, who makes the highest bid above the minimum.

4. In all other cases, the award shall be made to the person making the highest bid above said minimum.

5. In every case, the cost of advertising, plus costs of transfer shall be added to the amount of the bid and paid by the purchaser.

6. The Board of Selectmen shall conduct not more than three such sales in any one calendar year.

An amendment was made to strike out under paragraph three the words "if any, who makes the highest bid above the minimum."

After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to strike out under paragraph three the words "if any, who makes the highest bid above the minimum" was lost. The original motion as stated above was then so voted.

Attorney P. Harold Ready was present and gave his advice on the sewer articles 12 and 13. Mr. Ready clarified the action that should be taken on these articles, the reasons why they were inserted and future action that could be taken by the Town at a later date, if so desired. Mr. Ready also answered questions of Town Meeting Members.

Notice was served for later reconsideration of Article 8.

Mr. Ready stated that Article 64 was illegal as the Town could not accept a bill of the Legislature before it was passed.

Mr. Ready stated that he had no doubt Article 8 was legal.

A motion was made to reconsider Article 8. This motion was declared lost by the Moderator on a voice vote. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 40 votes in the affirmative and 92 in the negative and the motion was lost.

A motion that Article 13 be taken up prior to Article 12 was lost.

ARTICLE 12. VOTED unanimously to rescind the vote passed under Article 1 of the Warrant of the Special Town Meeting of January 19, 1965.

ARTICLE 13. A motion was made and seconded that the sum of $1,800,000.00 is appropriated for the construction of a sewerage system and sewage treatment plant, that to raise this amount the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue $1,800,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town payable in annual installments within thirty years from their dates under G.L. c.44 s.8 (15), and that the Selectmen be authorized to apply for, accept, and expend any available State or Federal aid and shall have all powers necessary to carry out the project. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted.

VOTED that the sum of $1,800,000.00 is appropriated for the construction of a sewerage system and sewage treatment plant, that to raise this amount the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to issue $1,800,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town payable in annual installments within thirty years from their dates under G.L. c.44 s.8 (15), and that the Selectmen are authorized to apply for, accept, and expend any available State or Federal aid and shall have all powers necessary to carry out the project.

This was voted with 157 in the affirmative and 23 in the negative.

A motion to reconsider Article 13 was lost.

Voted to recess to 1:00 P.M.

Meeting called to order with 136 Town Meeting Members present.

ARTICLE 73. VOTED unanimously that Article 73 be accepted as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 86. A motion was made and seconded to dismiss this article. After explanation and discussion the previous question was moved and so voted. The motion to dismiss was then put by the Moderator and declared lost by the Moderator. This was doubted by seven and the Moderator took a counted vote with 30 voting in favor of dismissal and 127 against.

A motion was made and seconded that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to an Industrial District the land owned by Imperial Development Corporation on Concord Road, bounded and described as follows:

The land shown as Lot D on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Billerica, Mass. owned by Imperial Development Corporation" dated September 17, 1964 by Dana F. Perkins & Sons, Inc., Civil Engineers and Surveyors and bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by Concord Road, one hundred eighty-one and 30/100 (181.30) feet and by Parcel 2 hereinafter described, one hundred sixty-five and 10/100 (165.10) feet;

Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Peter H. and Barbara A. Foley as shown on said plan, one hundred fifty-one and 80/100 (151.80) feet; by the same, one hundred thirteen and 89/100 (113.89) feet;

Southerly by the same two lines together measuring, two hundred seven and 97/100 (207.97) feet;

Easterly by the same, three hundred fifty-eight and 23/100 (358.23) feet;

Southerly by land now or formerly of Frances M. Stearns, as shown on said plan by several lines together measuring five hundred six and 15/100 (506.15) feet;

Southwesterly by Route 3 as shown on said plan, five hundred fifty-nine and 88/100 (559.88) feet;

Northwesterly by the Concord River, one thousand five hundred (1,500) feet, more or less;

Northeasterly by land now or formerly of Ethel J. Casey and Anna Jaquith by several lines together measuring, six hundred sixty and 14/100 (660.14) feet;

Southeasterly by the same, sixty-eight and 50/100 (68.50) feet, and

Northeasterly again by the same by several lines together measuring, eight hundred forty-nine and 61/100 (849.61) feet;

Containing 30 acres, more or less, according to said plan.

This was voted with 135 in the affirmative and 26 in the negative, more than the necessary two-thirds vote. A motion to reconsider this article was lost.

ARTICLE 87. A motion was made and seconded to dismiss Article 87 and this was lost.

A motion was made and seconded that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to an Industrial District land owned by Frances M. Stearns in said Town bounded and described as follows:

The small triangular parcel of land marked "N" or F. Stearns" as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Billerica, Mass., owned by Imperial Development Corp." dated September 17, 1964, by Dana F. Perkins & Sons, Inc., Civil Engineers & Surveyors and bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Parcel 1 herein before described one hundred sixty-five and 10/100 (165.10) feet; Southeasterly by Concord Road as shown on said plan, about one hundred fifty-eight (158) feet; and Southwesterly by said land now or formerly of Foley as shown on said plan, about fifty-five (55) feet.

This was voted with 129 in the affirmative and 28 in the negative more than the necessary two-thirds vote.

A motion to reconsider this article was lost.

ARTICLE 14. VOTED unanimously to accept Article 14 as written.

ARTICLE 15. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars for the purpose of purchasing or taking the land described in Article 14.

ARTICLE 16. VOTED that no action be taken under Article 16 at this time.

ARTICLE 17. VOTED that no action be taken on Article 17 at this time.

ARTICLE 18. VOTED that Article 18 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 28. VOTED that Article 28 be postponed to the first item of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 29. VOTED that Article 29 be postponed to the second item of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 31. VOTED that Article 31 be postponed until the third item of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 40. A motion was made that Article 40 be dismissed and this motion was lost. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 to install a drainage system in Arcadia Road. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 53 votes in the affirmative and 87 in the negative and the motion was lost.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 38. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion for reconsideration of Article 38 was put to a rising vote with 13 votes in the affirmative and 90 in the negative and the motion was lost.

ARTICLE 41. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 to participate in the inservice training program for Civil Engineering as set up by the Massachusetts Department of Education.

ARTICLE 42. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 to construct a sidewalk along Salem Road from Andover Road to Carline Drive.

ARTICLE 43. VOTED that Article 43 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 44. VOTED that Article 44 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 45. VOTED that Article 45 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 46. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 to construct a sidewalk along Salem Road from Baldwin Road to Bellflower Road.

ARTICLE 47. VOTED unanimously that Article 47 be accepted as written.

ARTICLE 48. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for the purposes set forth under Article 48.

ARTICLE 49. VOTED unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to a General Business District land owned by the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston on Boston Road, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Boston Road at land of the Middlesex County National Bank and the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, then running N 74° 32' 50" E a distance of 250' to a point on the Southerly boundary of land of the Middlesex County National Bank; thence running S 20° 01' 14" E a distance of 13.06' to a point; thence running S 70° 32' 50" W a distance of 250' to a point on the Easterly side of Boston Road; thence running N 20° 01' 14" W along Boston Road a distance of 13.06' to the point of beginning.

ARTICLE 50. At the request of the Moderator it was moved and voted to postpone Article 50 until the fourth item of business at the next session of the Town Meeting. (This to allow Moderator time to notify attorney who wished to be present on this article.)

ARTICLE 51. VOTED unanimously to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to a General Business District the land owned by Walter and Mary Arakelian, Gifford, Bennie E. and Beatrice S.; Favreau, Edmond R.; Toto, Felix and Elvira; Mazarini, Giacomo; Cameron, Joseph Tr. for G. Cameron; Gill, Esther, c/o Esther Bentley; Meuse, Ernest W. and Mildred A. on Hadley, Phiney and Riverview Streets, bounded and described as follows:

The land in said Billerica being lots numbered 164 to 195 inclusive, all as shown on sheet 2 on plan number 3024 G filed in the Land Registration Office for Middlesex North District with Certificate of Title 2244 in Registration Book 14, Page 89.

Voted to reconvene the Town Meeting Saturday, April 3, 1965, at 9:30 a.m., after today's adjournment.

ARTICLE 52. VOTED unanimously to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Village Residence District to a General Business District land owned by Red Pine Grill Inc. on Middlesex Turnpike, bounded and described as follows:

Lots #121-124 inclusive as shown on plan of Nuttings Lake Park Plan B. Recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 31, Plan 3, and Lot #196B recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 76, Plan 20.

ARTICLE 53. VOTED unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Village Residence District to a General Business District land owned by Ludwyk Wansewicz on Brick Kiln Road, bounded and described as follows:

Being a portion of several acres of land owned by Ludwyk Wansewicz at 232 Brick Kiln Road and conveyed to him by deed recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 947, Page 529, described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the corner of Brick Kiln Road and Chelmsford Road and running in a Northerly direction along said Brick Kiln Road a distance of 300 feet, more or less; thence turning at a 45 degree angle and running in an Easterly direction to a point on the Easterly property line of said premises; thence turning and running in a Southerly direction, along said property line to a point on Chelmsford Road; thence turning and running in a Westerly direction, along said Chelmsford Road a distance of 602 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

ARTICLE 54. A motion was made that Article 54 be dismissed. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of the voice vote on dismissal of this article and called for a rising vote. There were 88 votes in the affirmative and 73 votes in the negative and the motion to dismiss Article 54 was so voted.

ARTICLE 55. A motion was made that Article 55 be passed as written. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed and this motion was lost. The motion that Article 55 be passed as written was so voted.

ARTICLE 56. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purposes stated in Article 56.

John T. Glavine read the report for the Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee. It was moved and voted unanimously to accept the report as a report of progress and the Committee continued.

ARTICLE 57. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the expenses of the Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee.

Vincent M. Padula read the report of the Permanent School Building Committee.

Notice was given for later reconsideration of Article 54.

ARTICLE 58. A motion was made that the Town order or direct the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain proceedings for school building purposes, land for future school site. (The Moderator stated that this article was illegal.) It was moved and voted that Article 58 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 59. A motion was made that the Town order or direct the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain proceedings land in East Billerica for the purpose of constructing a sidewalk running from Tercentennial Park to the new elementary school. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion as stated above was so voted by a voice vote. Since this was not a unanimous vote the Moderator called for a rising vote. There were 126 votes in the affirmative and 5 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

The report of the River Pines and West Billerica Playground Committee was read by Joseph J. Cavanaugh, Sr. It was moved and voted that the report be accepted as read and the Committee continued.

ARTICLE 60. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to build a backstop for the Little League Field at the Dutile Playground.

ARTICLE 61. A motion was made that Article 61 be dismissed. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote taken on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 50 votes in the affirmative and the Moderator declared it obvious that the motion to dismiss Article 61 was lost. A motion was made to raise and appropriate $160.00 under Article 61. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate $160.00 to provide that a life preserver and length of rope be a part of the standard regular equipment in each police cruiser. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate $160.00 to provide that a life preserver and length of rope be a part of the standard regular equipment in each police cruiser was so voted. A motion to reconsider this article was lost.

ARTICLE 62. VOTED that the sum of $500.00 be raised and appropriated under Article 62.

ARTICLE 63. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Babe Ruth League, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Babe Ruth League Committee.

Before action was taken on Article 64 a motion was made for reconsideration of Article 54. A quorum was doubted and a count showed there to be 146 Town Meeting Members present. The motion to reconsider Article 54 was lost.

ARTICLE 64. VOTED that Article 64 be indefinitely postponed.

Voted to postpone action on Article 65 until the fifth order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 66. A motion was made that Article 66 be passed. A motion was made that Article 66 be postponed until the sixth order of business at the next session of the Town Meeting, and this was so voted.

The Town Meeting was adjourned until 9:30 a.m., Saturday, April 3, 1965. Adjourned 4:55 p.m.

APRIL 3, 1965

The Town Meeting was called to order at 10:10 a.m., by the Moderator, with 133 Town Meeting Members present.

The Town Meeting stood for a moment of silence in memory of Jacob Elmer, Highway Superintendent, Mrs. Marion Finnegan, former member of Finance and Industrial Committees, and Victor Perkins, Recreation Committee member.

Paul F. Newman reported on his meeting with New England Insurance Rating Board.

ARTICLE 28. A motion was made that the Town vote to employ five additional permanent fire fighters for the Fire Department. An amendment was made to change the figure from five to three additional permanent fire fighters for the Fire Department. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The amendment that the Town employ three additional permanent fire fighters for the Fire Department was so voted.

ARTICLE 29. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $12,909.00 for three additional permanent fire fighters and equipment for the same; the sum of $12,369.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department and the sum of $540.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department.

ARTICLE 31. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,275.00 for fire alarm improvements as stated in Article 31. A motion was made that Article 31 be indefinitely postponed. After discussion the previous question was moved and declared voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote with 77 votes in the affirmative and 59 in the negative and the motion for the previous question was lost. (Not a two-thirds vote.) An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $975.00 to change over present fire alarm panel to transistor units to cover ten circuits. A motion was made

that Article 31 be postponed until the last order of business in the Warrant. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to postpone Article 31 to the last order of business in the Warrant was declared so voted by the Moderator on a voice vote. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote with 66 votes in the affirmative and 77 in the negative and the motion to postpone this article was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $975.00 to change over present fire alarm panel to transistor units to cover ten circuits was then put to a vote and this motion was lost. The motion that Article 31 be indefinitely postponed was so voted. A motion to reconsider Article 31 was lost.

A point of order was brought up under Article 28. To clarify this the Moderator asked for under vote. It was voted to employ three additional permanent fire fighters for the Fire Department. Motion for three additional permanent fire fighters for the Fire Department, as amended, so voted.

ARTICLE 50. A motion was made that the Town vote to rezone the land as described in Article 50 except for a twenty-five foot buffer zone all around the property which would remain Rural Residence and Neighborhood Residence District. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Robert Sullivan, Attorney for Mr. and Mrs. Grieco, was permitted to speak on the article. Also Attorney John LeComte, representing DeMoulas and the people on Theodore Court spoke on the article. Six residents of Theodore Court, not Town Meeting Members spoke on the article, and Attorney James Curtis was permitted to speak. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was so voted. Notice was given for later reconsideration of Article 50.

Voted that if it is necessary to continue this meeting to reconvene Thursday night, April 8, 1965, at 7:30 p.m.

A motion to reconsider Article 50 as written in the Warrant was not voted.

ARTICLE 65. VOTED that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "Planning Board" in subsection 2.1 of Section 5 and substituting therefore the words "Board of Appeal."

This was voted with 144 in the affirmative and 4 in the negative, more than two-thirds vote.

ARTICLE 66. A motion was made that Article 66 be accepted as written in the Warrant with the addition of the following: "Provided further that on each lot in existence when the Zoning By-Law allowed a front open yard space of 20 feet depth along the lot lines that bound streets, there shall be provided an open yard space of not less than 20 feet depth along said street property lines."

Following discussion the question was moved and voted.

A motion was made and seconded that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting Section 7 and substituting the following:

Section 7. YARD SPACES IN RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS

In Residential Districts there shall be provided on each lot an open yard space of not less than thirty-five (35) feet depth all along the front, not less than twenty (20) feet depth all along the rear and not less than fifteen (15) feet depth along each side property line of such lot. No building or structure shall hereinafter be erected, altered or moved so that any part thereof (except eaves, steps or uncovered porches) shall be nearer than thirty-five (35) feet from the front lot line, twenty (20) feet from the rear lot line or fifteen (15) feet from the side lot line of any lot in any Residential District, except that on a lot bounded by more than one street. There shall be an open yard space of not less than thirty-five (35) depth along the lot lines that bound such street. Provided, however, that on each lot in existence when the Zoning By-Law allowed an open side yard space of not less than seven and one-half (7½) feet and which have less than one hundred twenty-five (125) feet frontage there shall be provided an open yard space of not less than seven and one-half (7½) feet along each side property line; provided further, that on each lot in existence when the Zoning By-Law allowed a front open yard space of 20 feet depth along the lot lines that bound streets, there shall be provided an open yard space of not less than 20 feet depth along said street property lines.

This was voted with 134 in the affirmative and 9 in the negative, more than the two-thirds vote.

ARTICLE 67. A motion was made and seconded that Article 67 be accepted as written in the Warrant. After considerable discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted.

A motion was made and seconded that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting subsection 4 of Section 10 and substituting the following:

4.1 In the respective residential zoning districts named below, the dimensions and areas stated below shall be the minimums per lot:

	Min. Area	Min. Frontage	Min. Depth
Village Residence Districts	15,000 sq. ft.	100 ft.	100 ft.
Neighborhood Residence Districts	25,000 sq. ft.	125 ft.	125 ft.
Rural Residence Districts	30,000 sq. ft.	150 ft.	150 ft.

4.2 Duplex or two-family residences. The above minimum areas and frontages shall be increased by fifty per cent for any lot containing a duplex or two-family residence; the minimum depth in any residential zoning district shall be 150 feet.

4.3 All lots shall be, so far as possible, regular and symmetrical with the least possible deviations from a nearly rectangular shape, of which the length shall not in general exceed three times the width.

4.4 Subsection 4.1, pertaining to single-family residences, shall not apply to any lot which, at the time any amendment making said lot nonconforming becomes effective, is narrower at the street line or if lesser depth or area than therein provided, if:

(1) a deed or plan of such lot was duly recorded in the Registry of Deeds before the adoption of any amendment making said lot nonconforming;

(2) the dimensions of such lot were in conformance with the provisions of Section 10 in effect at the time of such recording in the Registry of Deeds; and

(3) such lot did not at the time of the adoption of any amendment making said lot nonconforming adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with such lot.

4.5 Only one residential building may be erected upon any individual lot, regardless of the size or dimension of the lot.

This was voted with 119 in the affirmative and 41 in the negative.

A motion to reconsider Article 67 was lost.

ARTICLE 68. A motion was made and seconded that Article 68 be adopted as written. A motion was made to amend this motion by adding the following paragraph at the end of the Article: Subsection 4 of Section 10 be amended by deleting the word "duplex" wherever it appears therein. Following discussion the previous question was moved and so voted. The amendment to the original motion as just stated was so voted.

The Moderator called for a rising vote on the original motion as amended, that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by making the following changes:

Delete subsection 1.1 of Section 5 and substitute the following:

1.1 Single or two family residences and gardens, including the right to convert any one-family dwelling structure to accomodate not more than two families provided that:

A. The appearance and character of a one-family dwelling shall be preserved.

B. The lot areas per structure so converted shall be not less than twenty thousand (20,000) square feet, and the street frontage width of such lot shall be not less than one hundred (100) feet;

C. No major exterior structural changes shall be made except such as may be required for safety by the Billerica Building By-Law or Massachusetts General Laws, and that the whole cost of such alterations shall not exceed fifty per cent (50%) of the reproduction cost of such dwelling before such alterations; and

D. The main stairway leading to the second or any higher floor shall be enclosed within the exterior walls of the building. Secondary stairways may be constructed outside of the exterior walls providing they are enclosed; and

E. The original dwelling has been occupied completely as a one family dwelling for a minimum period of one year, and that Subsection 4 of Section 10 be amended by deleting the word "duplex" wherever it appears therein.

This was voted with 118 votes in the affirmative and 34 in the negative.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 68 was lost.

A motion that when this meeting adjourns it reconvene next Saturday morning at 9:30 a.m. was lost. A motion to reconvene Thursday night, April 8, 1965, at 7:30 p.m. was so voted.

ARTICLE 69. VOTED that Article 69 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 70. A motion was made that Article 70 be dismissed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 70 be dismissed was so voted.

The report of the Water Committee was read by Ralph R. Bacon.

ARTICLE 71. Before Article 71 was acted upon it was moved and voted that the report of the Water Committee be accepted and that the Committee be continued, the Moderator to fill any vacancies that may occur in the Committee. Unanimous.

A motion was made that the sum of $234,860.00 is appropriated for laying and relaying water mains of not less than six inches, but less than sixteen inches in diameter, and that to raise this amount $124,860.00 is appropriated from the 1965 tax levy and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue $110,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town under General Laws c.44 s.8 as amended. All bills for expenditures under this article to be submitted to the Water Committee for approval prior to payment by the Town.

An amendment was made to delete the figure of $234,860.00 from the above motion and insert therefor the sum of $128,860.00 to be raised and appropriated from the 1965 tax levy and deleting the words "and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue $110,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town under General Laws c.44 s.8 as amended." All bills for expenditures under this article to be submitted to the Water Committee for approval prior to payment by the Town.

An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $28,860.00 under the article and put $100,000.00 in bond issue, and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to issue $100,000.00 bonds or notes of the Town under General Laws c.44 s.8 as amended. All bills for expenditures under this article to be submitted to the Water Committee for approval prior to payment by the Town.

Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to delete the figure of $234,860.00 from the original motion and insert therefor the sum of $128,860.00 which is to be raised and appropriated, and deleting portion of paragraph as stated above, was so voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $28,860.00 under this article and put $100,000.00 in bond issue, as stated above was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 49 votes in the affirmative and the Moderator declared the motion lost. The motion as amended that the sum of $128,860.00 be raised and appropriated for laying and relaying water mains of not less than six inches, but less than sixteen inches in diameter, and that this amount be raised and appropriated from the 1965 tax levy was so voted.

ARTICLE 72. VOTED unanimously that Article 72 be passed as written in the warrant.

ARTICLE 75. Voted that Article 75 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 76. VOTED that the Town amend Part 1, Section 16 of the Consolidated Building Code and Regulations by striking out "seven (7) days" and inserting in place thereof "fourteen (14) days." This was voted with 108 in the affirmative and 3 in the negative.

ARTICLE 77. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purpose stated in Article 77 with the provision that this be under the express control of the Garden Club. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to purchase shade trees, shrubbery, landscaping and replacing old trees for the Tree Department. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 as stated above was put to a voice vote, and declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 32 voted in the affirmative and the Moderator declared the motion lost without counting the negative votes. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purposes stated in Article 77 with the provision that this be under the express control of the Garden Club, was so voted.

ARTICLE 78. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $900.00 for the purpose of having a series of band concerts on the Billerica Center Common during the summer months.

ARTICLE 79. VOTED unanimously that Article 79 be accepted as written.

ARTICLE 80. VOTED unanimously that Article 80 be accepted as written.

ARTICLE 81. VOTED unanimously to raise and appropriate $1,250.00 under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C, for the purpose of maintaining the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 82. The Personnel Board moves Article 82 be passed with the following amendment: in Section (b) after "or payment in lieu of one day off" insert "at the rate of 1/5 of a weeks base pay," and further amend the word Saturday in the second paragraph shall be added the words "Friday shall be observed," if the holiday falls on Sunday, Monday shall be observed.

Following discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted.

The amendment that holiday falling on Saturday and Sunday shall be observed on the previous Friday was lost, and following the words "in lieu of one day off" in the third paragraph, add the words "at the rate of one-fifth of a week's base pay," and a further motion was made by adding that "if a holiday by the calendar is on

Saturday," Friday should be day off, and "if holiday falls on Sunday," Monday would be the day celebrated, and in the third paragraph add the words "at the rate of one-fifth of weeks base pay" was voted.

The motion as amended was then put and so voted.

A motion to adjourn until Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 47 votes in the affirmative and 77 votes in the negative and the motion to adjourn was lost. The question of a quorum was raised. A count showed there to be 117 Town Meeting Members present and the meeting was adjourned. Time: 5:00 P.M.

APRIL 8, 1965

The Town Meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m., by the Moderator with 130 Town Meeting Members present.

Notice was served for later reconsideration of Article 75.

ARTICLE 83. Voted unanimously that Article 83 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 84. VOTED unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map by rezoning from a Village Residence District and a General Business District to a General Business District the land situated on the easterly side of Boston Road between Cook Street and Dale Street to a depth of one hundred fifty (150) feet or to the easterly lot boundary lines of each separately owned parcel, whichever is less.

ARTICLE 85. A motion was made that Article 85 be accepted as written with the following words inserted after the word "voted" in subsection 7.8 - "and the proposed new North Billerica Fire Station." This was followed by a motion that Article 85 be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 85 be indefintely postponed was lost. The original motion as stated above was put to a rising vote with 80 votes in the affirmative and 49 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. (Not a two-thirds vote.)

ARTICLE 88. A motion was made that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $3,200.00 to be expended by the Board of Health for the next phase in the control of algae, weeds and other aquatic nuisances in Nuttings Lake. An amendment was made that the sum of $2,100.00 be raised and appropriated for the purposes stated under this article and this was voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 90. A motion was made that this article be dismissed. After discussion a motion was made for the previous question. The Moderator was in doubt of the results of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 95 votes in the affirmative and the Moderator declared the motion for the previous question so voted. The motion that this article be dismissed was then so voted.

ARTICLE 91. A motion was made that Article 91 be dismissed and this motion was lost. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to install a chain link fence bordering the property of the Kohlrausch Playground and the Soutter property on Colson Street and this was voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 92. VOTED to transfer the sum of $2,000.00 from the sale of lots Fund for the expansion of the Cemetery facilities at either Fox Hill or North Cemetery.

ARTICLE 93. A motion was made that Article 93 be accepted as written. After considerable discussion the previous question was moved and so voted. The motion that Article 93 be voted as written was voted with 97 in the affirmative and 39 in the negative.

Notice was given for reconsideration of Article 85.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 85. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of the voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 75 votes in the affirmative and 65 votes in the negative and the motion for reconsideration of Article 85 was lost.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 90 and this motion was lost.

ARTICLE 94. VOTED that the sum of $1,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of defraying any charges which the Town may be required to pay to the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority under the agreement referred to in Article 93.

A motion was made to reconsider Article 75 and this motion was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 55 votes in the affirmative and 74 votes in the negative and the motion was lost.

ARTICLE 95. A motion was made to transfer the sum of $50,000.00 from Free Cash for a stabilization fund. A motion was made that Article 95 be indefinitely postponed. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of a voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 82 votes in the affirmative and 55 votes in the negative and the motion to indefinitely postpone Article 95 was carried.

ARTICLE 96. VOTED to transfer the sum of $145,000.00 from Free Cash to be used to apply to the 1965 tax rate.

It was moved and voted to dissolve the Town Meeting.

Time: 10:25 p.m.

A true copy
Attest:
Mildred A. Westhaver
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

With the closing of the year ending December 31, 1965 I submit the following as vital statistics recorded:

Births	594
Marriages	206
Deaths	186

This is not the final figure for births of residents of Billerica for the calendar year of 1965, as copies of birth are still being received from other cities and towns.

Receipts taken in with all monies having been turned over to the Treasurer:

Dog Licenses	$ 4,568.00
Hunting Licenses	4,429.00
All Other Receipts	16,882.05
Total	$ 25,879.05

At this time I take the opportunity to thank the Town Meeting Members for their kind consideration of our salary increase and budget voted at the Annual Town Meeting of 1965.

I also wish to thank the Town Meeting Members for my Out of State Travel Expenses to attend the International Meeting of Municipal Clerks. It gave me an opportunity to see Denver, Colorado, the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, the famous Rockies and the old mining towns throughout Denver.

It was quite educational to hear the "Norad" story.

In all, the trip was very historical, educational and informative and quite a contrast to the New England states.

I wish to thank the Selectmen and all Town Officials and Departments for their full cooperation throughout the year.

The staff includes Loretta G. Nickerson and F. Lillian Turner.

The office is open from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Monday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

We are here to serve you and welcome the opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED A. WESTHAVER
Town Clerk

JURY LIST

Rodgers A. Boutwell	D Street
Josephine L. Boynton	Concord Road
Helen Webster Brigham	23 Andover Road
Livio A. Buono	Cook Street
Philip I. Collins	Treble Cove Road
James V. Condon	Sprague Street
Richard P. Cook	Andover Road
Lloyd J. Crandall, Sr.	Call Street
Samuel T. Crear	Foster Avenue
Wilma E. Cullum	Andover Road
Norman N. Dahl	Anniversary Way
Leonard W. Dailey	Pine Street
Donald W. Davis	Boston Road
Angelo P. DeBenedictis	Bridle Road
Currie L. M. DeBow, Sr.	Sullivan Road
Albert A. Dickinson	Boston Road
Oliver L. Ellinwood	Cook Street
William L. Elliott	Hampstead Avenue
Charles R. Ennion, Sr.	Lowell Street
Kenneth G. Farnam	Billerica Avenue
Monroe Farwell	Andover Road
Francis Ferren	Baldwin Road
Manuel J. Furtado	Friendship Street
Anthony J. Gerossie	Park Street
Lauril E. Graffam	Port Sunlight Road
Norman E. Grattan	High Street
Bernard W. Hart	Andover Road
Clifford E. Hentz	Salem Road
Theodore M. Hull, Sr.	Brentham Road
Philip C. Johnson	Call Street
Philip H. Lewien	Fairview Avenue
Edwin L. MacIntosh	Rogers Street
Edward L. MacLennan	Walnut Avenue
David W. Magee	Allen Road
Charles J. Mahoney	5 Cherry Road
Archibald G. March	Glenvale Avenue
Gertrude A. Perry	Rosewood Avenue
Joseph P. Revane	Bridle Road
Harold A. Sutcliffe	Rogers Street
Edith M. Torre	Salem Road
William H. Updyke	Charlesmere Road

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Registrars conducted their annual listing of all males and females twenty years of age and older according to Chapter 5, Section 4, with the following results:

	Male	Female	Total
Precinct 1	774	900	1674
Precinct 2	1149	1258	2407
Precinct 3	1280	1255	2535
Precinct 4	862	853	1715
Precinct 5	999	1026	2025
Precinct 6	996	955	1951
	6060	6247	12307

This is an increase of 703 over the previous year.

The State Census for 1965 is as follows:

Precinct 1	2972
Precinct 2	4322
Precinct 3	4680
Precinct 4	3256
Precinct 5	4255
Precinct 6	4148
	23633

The total number of voters are as follows:

	Registered Voters	Democratic	Republican	Unenrolled Voters
Precinct 1	1226	330	365	531
Precinct 2	1753	721	397	635
Precinct 3	1826	776	290	760
Precinct 4	1193	452	194	547
Precinct 5	1325	412	175	738
Precinct 6	1281	439	165	677
	8604	3130	1586	3888

Qualified residents may register daily Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Monday evenings from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS M. DANIELS, Chairman
GEORGE L. GRANTZ
CANUTE W. LEE
MILDRED A. WESTHAVER
Clerk Ex-Officio

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Billerica:

We hereby submit our report for the year ending December 31, 1965.

At our anual election, George E. Lewis, was re-elected with Russell A. Young being elected to the other vacancy. Our Board was organized with Paul F. Newman, Chairman, George E. Lewis, Vice-Chairman, and David G. McKenna, Secretary.

Weekly meetings were held for the accommodation of the townspeople. Numerous meetings were held with Department Heads, various elected and appointed officials.

Like its neighboring communities, ours continues to suffer with growing pains. House building continues to spiral upward. This continuous growth has added to the demands for public services, schools, fire and police departments, public works and water department, street lights, etc.

Many meetings were held with our water and sewage engineers, state and federal officials in a concerted effort to obtain federal and state financial assistance. Our efforts along those lines have paid off with a $600,000.00 grant for the first phase of sewage. Contracts have been awarded to the lowest bidder for phase one of our sewage plans.

The increased water consumption combined with last year's drought finds us with a critical water problem. Plans for increased pumping and storage facilities have been stymied because of the insufficiencies and limitations of our General Laws relative to borrowing on a bond issue. To overcome these, a bill has been filed with the Legislature updating the General Laws. We look forward to its early enactment into law. To supplement our existing water supply, we have filed an additional bill which, if enacted into law, would allow us to purchase water from the Metropolitan District Commission.

Armand Provost, Public Works Administrator, resigned in October to take a similar position in the town of Ayer. The response to our advertisements for his replacement has been very poor. We feel the limitation on the salary is a deterrent and are asking for additional funds.

We feel that the year 1965 was a year of progress for our Town and look to 1966 as another year of continued progress to the benefit of all our residents.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. NEWMAN, Chairman
GEORGE E. LEWIS, Vice-Chmn.
DAVID G. McKENNA, Secretary
STUART L. POTTER
RUSSELL A. YOUNG

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1965.

There were 876 arrests for the following causes:

Crimes Against the Person:		
Kidnapping	1	
Assault and Battery on a Police Officer	2	
Threatening	3	
Assault and Battery	12	
Assault with a Dangerous Weapon	1	
Robbery	2	
Total		21
Crimes Against Property:		
Accessory Before the Fact	2	
Receiving Stolen Property	2	
Larceny	22	
Breaking and Entering in the Night Time and Larceny	10	
Breaking and Entering a Dwelling House in the Day Time	7	
Larceny of Motor Vehicle	19	
Forgery	2	
Uttering -	1	
Total		65
Crimes Against Public Order:		
Drunkenness	254	
Speeding	186	
Motor Vehicle Violations	287	
Safekeeping	20	
Non-Support	6	
Disturbing the Peace	15	
Malicious Damage to Real Property	2	
Malicious Damage to Personal Property	3	
Stubborn Child	5	
Vagrancy	2	
Begetting	2	
Illegal Sale of Narcotic Drugs	1	
Illegal Entry into United States	1	
Being Abroad at Night	1	
Escapee	2	
Exploding Firecracker	1	
Neglect of Minor Children	1	
Deserter	1	
Total		790
Total Arrests		876

Disposition of Cases:

Released	194	
Fined	506	
Placed on Probation	26	
Suspended Sentence	14	
Committed to Worcester State Hospital	17	
Ordered to Pay	13	
Filed	23	
Not Guilty	11	
Sentenced to House of Correction	11	
Sentenced to Walpole State Prison	4	
Sentenced to Youth Service Board	9	
Committed to Westboro State Hospital	1	
Turned Over to Out-of-Town Police	17	
Returned to Veterans Administration Hospital, Bedford	1	
Sentenced to Concord Reformatory	2	
Committed to Boston State Hospital	1	
Continued without Finding	14	
Disposition Pending	12	
Total		876

Miscellaneous:

Summonses Served	926
Ambulance Calls	848
Calls Answered by Cruisers	6,747
Licenses Suspended	242
Registrations Suspended	15
Traffic Warnings Issued	773
Fines Assessed	$9,120.
Automobile Transfers	2,554
Accidents Reported	497
Personal Injuries	229
Fatal Accidents	4
Special Property Checking	391
Photocopy Receipts	$1,026.
Delinquency	25

I wish to thank the Billerica Fire Department for their valued assistance on 636 of our 848 ambulance calls and also for their cooperation in various emergencies during the year.

I also wish to thank the Town Officials, Department Heads and Department Personnel for their assistance and cooperation throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. RYAN,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Fire Department for the year 1965 is herewith submitted.

Manual Force

The manual force of the Department consists of thirty-eight permanent men including five officers, Chief of Department and three call men. Operating three stations: Central Station, Engine Co. 1 - Ladder Co. 1; North Station, Engine Co. 2; and Pinehurst Station, Engine Co. 3.

Apparatus and Equipment

There are 10 pieces of motor apparatus: Chief's car, two emergency boats, outboard motor, 500-gallon portable trailer pump, C.D. portable pump, one trailer with five gallon cans of liquid foam, two trailers for other work and a C.D. fire truck.

Building and Equipment Repairs

A new fire station is under construction on Lowell Street in North Billerica. The permanent men have made repairs to the buildings, apparatus and equipment whenever possible and, through their efforts, the Town has been saved a considerable sum of money.

Fire Prevention

In keeping with Fire Department regulations, fire drills were held in all public schools during the year. Fire drills were held for all Town fire fighters. The Auxiliary Fire Fighters attended and participated in department drills this year. All places of public assembly were inspected and regulations enforced. Inspections were made before issuance of the following permits: oil burners, storage of oil for same, gasoline tanks and relocation of same.

Alarms, Fires and Emergency Calls

There were 1223 calls this year, 136 calls more than last year. Our calls are increasing each year as the Town expands. The Fire Department also assisted the Police Department in many of their ambulance calls.

Loss and Damage

Estimated value of property at risk, not including brush and grass fires, and upon which there was a loss.

Value of buildings and automobiles	$462,208.00
Value of contents of same	162,859.00
TOTAL VALUE	$625,067.00

Loss on buildings and automobiles	$ 36,162.00
Loss on contents of same	14,881.00
TOTAL LOSS	$ 51,043.00
Total insurance paid	$ 43,038.00

I wish to thank all those who, in any way, assisted this Department during the year.

Respectfully submitted.

PAUL H. ROPER, Fire Chief

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

General maintenance included sand seal coats on various streets for a total of approximately 23 miles; approximately 3 miles of mix-in-place placed on Baldwin Road and Allen Road; hottop program was completed with Salem Road, Andover Road, and Bridle Road being resurfaced, total of approximately 5½ miles; cleaning and repairing various culverts and drains throughout the Town; shoulders were cut back on numerous streets; patching carried out on all streets; several brooks cleaned out throughout Town; swept and cleaned streets in all sections of Town; sweeper traveled 1235 miles in course of season.

Chapter 90 work has been done on Treble Cove Road and hottop Chelmsford Road under Chapter 90.

Miscellaneous Projects: Erected and maintained traffic control signs for Police Department as per request of Police Chief; carried on a program of repairs under Chapter 40 of the General Laws on unaccepted streets.

Drainage was started at Evergreen Road and Hillside; also 190 feet of drain was placed on Arcadia Road.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES F. CONNORS,
Highway Superintendent

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Following is a report of the Department of Public Works, for the year ending December 31, 1965.

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT:

Treatment Plant: Water consumption for 1965 showed an increase of 14% over 1964. Total amount pumped for 1965 was 625,429,400 gallons. Our peak day was July 14, when we pumped 3,460,000 gallons, and our peak month was also July when we pumped 75,908,000 gallons.

Distribution System: Water main extensions were installed on Salem Road, Treble Cove Road, from the Carlisle line to Nashua Road, and again on Treble Cove Road from Bridge Street to the Jenkins project. Mains were also installed on Irene Avenue, Shelburne Street, and from the Town Forrest in Castlewood East across the Shawsheen River to Argyle and Sachem Street.

There were 301 new services installed by the Department, and along with the services installed by developers in the various subdivisions, we had a total as of December 31, of 6365 services.

General maintenance consisted of repairs or replacement of old service connections; thawing out frozen lines; repairs to broken mains and hydrants; flushing out dead end mains; repairs and maintenance of operating equipment; and operation and maintenance of sewage treatment plant on Wyman Road and the filter beds in North Billerica.

TREE, MOTH AND PARK DEPARTMENTS:

No shade trees were planted this year because of the prolonged drought. Many trees that were planted last year were lost because of the lack of water.

Elm Tree removal is up over last year, because of Dutch Elm Disease. 107 Elms this year against 82 last year. The Tree Department removed 25 trees other than Elms that were in dangerous condition—These trees died either from the drought or the excess use of salt on the streets in town.

Methoxychlor was used as a dormant spray for our Elms. We sprayed from April 13 to May 3. Methoxychlor is 100% safer for wild life but three times more expensive than D.D.T.

Poison ivy was sprayed in all sections of the Town. General maintenance in the Park Department consisted of grass cutting on all School grounds, play grounds, squares and on the Football Field.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES PHAIR,
Department of Public Works

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER and ANIMAL INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as Dog Officer and Animal Inspector for the Town of Billerica for the year 1965.

Cattle inspected	154
Swine inspected	451
Goats inspected	4
Sheep inspected	23
Horses inspected	55
Cattle inspected coming from out-of-state	30
Dog complaints investigated	1242
Dogs confined and released after quarantine	309
Diseased dogs and other animals picked up and buried	183
Stray dogs sent to Harvard Medical Research Center	126
Excising of dogs' heads and sent to laboratory	2

Found homes for 29 dogs.

I wish to thank all officers and townspeople who so generously cooperated with me for the year 1965.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS A. COLLINS
Dog Officer and Animal Inspector

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is the annual report of the Planning Board for the year ending December 31, 1965.

Following the re-election of Vincent M. Padula in March, the Board reorganized, electing Richard D. Manning, Chairman; Gordon C. Brainerd, Vice Chairman; and Edgar A. Williams, Secretary. Mrs. Donna Flavin was appointed Recording Clerk to the Board and has continued to serve faithfully in that capacity.

At the Annual Town Meeting of 1963, the Board was authorized to contract with the United States Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service for a detailed soil survey of the Town of Billerica including an interpretive report. Copies of this survey and report have been received and are available to Town Departments upon written request. This information should prove extremely beneficial to contractors and builders, and the Board hopes that they will make use of this data.

Subdivision control has continued to require most of the Board's time this past year. Planning Board meetings have been increased from two per month to four per month to take care of this increased work load.

The Board would like to thank the Town Meeting members for approving the hiring of an engineer to assist the Planning Board with its inspections of subdivisions in progress. Mr. Arthur Bennett of Hamilton is now working in this capacity. We hope to be able to continue this for, as one member has said, our engineer has saved the amount of his salary in just one subdivision alone without taking into consideration the other twenty-six subdivisions under construction.

The Board has one case pending in court awaiting a decision as to whether or not one subdivision has proper drainage from its boundary. Also an injunction has been placed on another for failure to conform to subdivision control laws.

By a narrow margin, the article relating to Flood Plain Zoning, as proposed by the Board, failed to gain its two-thirds majority in the 1965 Town Meeting. The Board feels that such zoning is necessary to the protection of the public and intends to continue to give the matter serious consideration. The proposal will be resubmitted to the 1966 Town Meeting.

At this time, the Planning Board would like to thank the Departments, Board and citizens for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD D. MANNING, Chmn.
GORDON C. BRAINERD,
Vice-Chairman
EDGAR A. WILLIAMS, Sec.
VINCENT M. PADULA
THOMAS H. CONWAY, JR.

REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION

George R. Cushman ..... Chairman
Frank P. Bernarducci ..... Executive Secretary
Jeremiah B. Mulcahy ..... Member
Marcello Olivieri ..... Member
Joseph L. Ryan ..... Member
Recreation Director ..... Jack D. O'Brien

Meetings

The Recreation Commission meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Town Hall. Other meetings are held whenever necessary to determine policies or alter plans for the administration of the Recreation Program.

Program

The present Recreation Program consists of: An eight-week Summer Playground program for school age youngsters, a fifteen-week Winter indoor program for school age youngsters, two boys' bowling leagues, a girls' bowling league, a special swim meet and a golf tournament. For adults there is a golf class, a twi-baseball team, a basketball league, a men's recreation class, a women's recreation class and a Golden Age Club.

Summer Playgrounds

There are six active playgrounds in the Town, where recreation activities take place 5 days a week over an eight-week period, from the last week in June through the second week in August.

Winter Recreation Centers

There are four Winter Recreation Centers, located in Pinehurst, Nuttings Lake, Billerica Center and North Billerica. Activities for school age youngsters take place in these centers each Saturday for a fifteen-week period during the winter months.

Adult Golf Instruction

This program consists of a series of seven lessons, conducted by a professional golfer, at the High School Gymnasium one evening a week, weather permitting. The last lesson is held out of doors on a golf course.

Twi-League Baseball

During the late spring and summer, baseball competition in the Minute Man Twi-League takes place at the Akerson and Kohlrausch Playgrounds. This team was set up primarily for boys and men of post-high school age.

Basketball League

On Wednesday evenings, at the Memorial High School Gym, a fifteen-week adult basketball tournament is conducted during the winter months.

Adult Recreation Centers

There are 2 adult recreation centers operating during the winter months. Women meet at the Junior High School Gym on Thursday evenings and men at the same gym on Wednesday evenings. Physical Education and Recreational activities are offered for a fifteen-week period.

Golden Age Club

This group was originally organized and now sponsored by the Recreation Commission. All senior citizens 60 years or over are eligible to join.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR

Ending December 31, 1965

Appropriation:		
Salaries	$ 9,520.00	
Expenses	3,700.00	
Golden Age	500.00	
Total Budget for 1965		$13,720.00
Expended:		
Salaries		$ 9,517.36
Expenses		
Administration	$ 150.36	
Athletic Equipment	789.00	
Arts and Crafts	433.79	
Awards	450.81	
Games and Equipment	230.62	
Maintenance	365.35	
Dues	22.00	
Postage	22.30	
Clerical	38.50	
Director's Expense	150.00	
Instructor's Expense	166.00	
Film	37.11	
Tables	67.50	
Printing	280.65	
First Aid	8.46	
Officiation	483.00	
Total Expenses		$ 3,695.45
Golden Age Club		490.20
Total Expended		$13,703.01
Unexpended Balance to the Town Treasurer	16.99	

Respectfully submitted,

JACK D. O'BRIEN
Director of Recreation

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Health submits the following report for the year 1965:

Reportable communicable diseases totalled 126 in the categories of Tuberculosis, Measles, Whooping Cough, Mumps, Scarlet Fever, Scarletina, Chicken Pox and Hepatitis. Also reported were 31 dog bites.

A total of 384 septic tank permits were issued for the year, an increase of 77 over the previous year. Locations were inspected prior to the covering of these installations to ground level.

Two permits were issued for the cartage of effluent from septic tanks.

One trailer park license was granted.

Mosquito control was conducted for the 11th consecutive year, with the program consisting of early spot spraying of lowland and swamp areas, followed at designated intervals with the overall spraying of repellent according to State Department of Health formula.

Many complaints were received relative to faulty drainage from septic systems, improper disposal of garbage, debris scattered about yards and littering street en route to the public dump, as well as conditions in homes unsanitary and unhealthful. These required one or more inspections, with most offenders giving co-operation for their correction or elimination.

In conjunction with the Building Department, houses unfit for habitation were so placarded.

A change of policy of dump operation is under way, with regulations meeting with greater co-operation than ever before. A dump permit in the form of a sticker is required for use of the dumping area, with April 1 the date of renewal of permit.

Polio vaccine was available throughout the year for all takers, and arrangements were made for many more doses than persons took advantage of in a preventive program.

With July 1, 1966 set as the date for the start of the Medicare program, meetings and outlines of proposed services have been attended by agent and health nurse. As the year ended the program was in the planning stage with direction and instruction not yet available.

The department is grateful for the co-operation received from local residents, organizations and all persons who in any way contributed to the busy but gratifying year of service.

Respectfully submitted,
FREDERICK H. GOULD, Chmn.
FREDERICK G. BROWN,
Co-Agent
WARREN A. HOOKWAY,
Co-Agent

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The report of the Public Health Nursing Service for year 1965 follows:

Persons coming into the service from the several groups under statute law including Rheumatic Fever and Cardiac Disease, Tuberculosis, Crippled Children, Premature Infant and generalized program totalled 645. The total does not include persons who received polio vaccine at the health office, where 285 doses of polio were given. Included were persons who moved within the area in recent months.

Six persons were admitted to Middlesex County Sanitorium and five were discharged during 1965. The closing of the Rutland Veterans' Administration hospital and the returning of patients to their homes, added numbers to the local tuberculosis list with follow-up now directed by Middlesex County Sanatorium. One person was returned to his home from Boston Sanatorium at Mattapan.

The heart program offered service to local residents, with clinics held at North Shore Salem Hospital, while Orthopedic clinic patients were cared for at Massachusetts General Hospital.

The cancer program included persons with terminal illness with the year ending with but one patient in that group.

Total visits for the year in the several categories was 2489, while 106 visits for re-dressings and hypodermic injection were made to the health office. Persons requesting visit, and were referred to family physician, totalled 51. No referral followed. Arrangements for clinic care, X-Ray, instruction in preparation of formula in the infant program, special diet help, arrangements for facilities other than those given in the health program but offered by other organizations, totalled service to 103 persons.

Several health meetings attended offered informative material helpful at local level, as did a course under the sponsorship of the Lowell Mental Health association and Lowell V.N.A. conducted at the Lowell General Hospital.

Appreciation is expressed to families who assisted with patient care, and to all who contributed to the enjoyable year of health service.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN J. HARRINGTON, R.N.
Public Health Nurse

REPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

All of the necessary program papers required by the United States Department of Civil Defense and the Massachusetts Department of Disaster Control have been submitted for the year 1965 and all have been approved.

Billerica is now entitled to receive matching funds under all existing Civil Defense programs. This past year is the first year that the Federal Government paid for half the administrative expenses and salaries which came to $1,802.77, reimbursement to the Town of Billerica, and we have been assured that this program will continue in years to come.

During the year, a two hundred bed emergency hospital for the Town of Billerica was acquired. This $125,000.00 hospital has already been placed in Billerica Memorial High at no expense to our Town. A resurvey of all existing public shelters was conducted. The result of this survey was an increase of shelter spaces from 808 spaces to 3,594 spaces. The Federal Government has already approved our requisition for shelter supplies and the following supplies are now ready to be picked up. Carbohydrate Supplies, 6 ctns.; Biscuits, 213 ctns.; Drum, water storage, 559; Bag Liners, 30; Sanitation Kits, 61; Medical Kits, 11. Total weight 24,680 lbs. Total value $5,018.65.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all Town Officials, Department Heads and their personnel as well as residents for all their cooperation and assistance given me during the year. With your continued cooperation, Billerica Civil Defense will continue to grow as part of your public safety program making your home safer from natural and man-made disasters.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. FARIA
Civil Defense Director

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' SERVICE CENTER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The year 1965 again showed an increase in the number of people receiving assistance from the Billerica Office of Veterans' Benefits, but for the first time in a number of years I was able to stay within my budget. The principal reason for this being that the number of cases receiving assistance was slightly less than expected when my budget was submitted for 1965.

An orderly continued growth of cases and expenditures can be expected every year as the Town increases in population.

There are several bills in the State Legislature changing reimbursement, settlement, etc., that may be reported on at a later date.

I wish to thank all the Town officials for their cooperation. It makes my work easier and much more pleasant.

For details of expenditures please see the Town Accountant's report

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER C. SANDBERG
Veterans' Agent

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF WIRES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1965:

Wiring permits issued	690
Amounts received and turned in to Town Treasurer	$3,650.00
Salary	1,800.00
Expenses:	
Mileage	437.86
Office Expense	84.38
Secretarial	50.00
Asst. Inspector	800.00

Building in the Town has expectations both in homes and industry, and is expected to remain for the coming year.

I wish to thank all officers of the Town for their cooperation in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. HUGHES
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSIONER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit a report for the Cemetery Commission for 1965.

The organization of the Board for the past year has been: Fred H. Brown, Chairman; Evelen Spaulding, Secretary; Frank Dignon the other member and John Bicknell, Superintendent of the Cemeteries.

We have continued in the past year to develop, for future purposes, the land at the Fox Hill Cemetery. There is very little room for expansion at the North Cemetery and because practically all the burials are now taking place at the Fox Hill Cemetery, it is necessary that we expand the facilities there, even though it will prove to be expensive, due to the presence of shale-type ledge which seems to exist in most of the areas that are available for expansion.

We intend to continue the development during the year 1966 and are asking that $2,500.00 be taken from the Sale of Lot funds, to accomplish this purpose. We have made use of the Trust Funds available to the Cemetery to keep the overhead cost to the Town, as far as the Taxe Rate is concerned, to a minimum. Due to the rapid growth of the Town, however, the time is approaching when it probably will not be possible to keep our expenses so low that it will not reflect on the tax rate.

We wish to thank the various Town officials and Departments for their co-operation in the past year.

Respectfully submitted.

FRED H. BROWN
Chairman

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1965.

Permits were issued in the following manner for the year:

New single dwellings		334
New duplex dwellings		27
(Total dwelling units: 388)		
Additions and alterations to dwellings		117
Garages for private dwellings		29
Roofing and siding		64
New commercial buildings		14
Additions and alterations to commercial buildings		14
Structures (signs, pools, canopies, etc.)		43
Church addition		1
Foundation (to move a house on to)		1
Barn		1
Demolition		53
Total permits issued		698
Estimated cost of new construction		$5,540,948.00
Fees collected and paid to Town Treasurer		7,182.00
Fees from sale of Building Code books		97.50
Fees from photostat copies		8.00
Received and paid to the Town Treasurer	$	7,287.50
Plumbing permits issued		460
Gas permits issued		427
Total plumbing and gas permits		887
Plumbing fees collected	$	2,301.50
Gas fees collected		856.00
Received and paid to the Town Treasurer	$	3,157.50

In addition to the issuance of the above permits, the Department has expended considerable time on the enforcement of the Zoning By-Laws, Plumbing and Gas Laws, and all other By-Laws which come within its jurisdiction.

There has been a small increase in the total amount of building permits issued. There was a substantial increase in the amount of permits for single family dwellings. Due to a change in the Zoning By-Law pertaining to duplex dwellings, there has been a significant decrease in the number of permits issued for duplex dwellings.

Legal action has been instituted against several violators of the Building Code, Zoning By-Laws and Chapter 143 of the General

Laws. This action resulted in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 143 by two violators, three other cases are still pending.

The work load of the Plumbing and Gas Inspector has increased significantly this year. The issuance of plumbing permits increased from 429 to 460, and gas permits from 373 to 427, for a total of 887 permits, which represents an increase of 85 permits above 1964 total.

In addition, the Plumbing and Gas Inspector, without court action, attained compliance in correcting fifty-nine cases of defective gas piping and appliances within the Town, which were brought to his attention by the Lowell Gas Company.

In an effort to maintain equitable enforcement and interpretation of all local and state ordinances which come within the jurisdiction of the Building Department, the members of the department have devoted many hours in conference with Town Counsel, Board of Appeal, Planning Board, Board of Health and State Inspectors.

The Inspectors continue to devote as much time as the schedule allows to the demolition of sub-standard buildings within the Town.

Mr. Raoul Dionne resigned the position of Assistant Intermittent Building Inspector on November 12, 1965. On December 9, 1965, Mr. William H. Moore, Jr., was appointed permanently to this position.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE R. DeBENEDICTIS
Building Inspector

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Public Welfare respectfully submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1965.

During the past year there was constant activity in all categories of public assistance, with the Aid to Families with Dependent Children showing the largest increase. This category showed an increase from forty-eight cases with one hundred fifty-five children in January to sixty-seven cases with one hundred eighty-eight children in December.

There were many changes in the 1965 Social Security amendments. A general increase of approximately seven percent was given which was retroactive to January and received by recipients in September checks. For the first time in public assistance history it was not taken as a resource. We were ordered to take the increase on November 1, 1965. In the meantime, the legislature increased the leisure time activities allowance by five dollars in Old Age Assistance so that recipients gained a budget advantage. Because of reducing coverage quarters there are many more under coverage who now receive the $35.00 minimum.

One of the important amendments was Medicare which was signed into law by President Johnson on July 30, 1965. We have had to examine our case load, fill out forms to have a social security number assigned to all persons sixty-five years of age and over, regardless of the fact that they had never worked under coverage. On a voluntary basis they may sign up for medical insurance to help pay doctors' services in hospitals, home or office visits, plus a number of other medical items and services at a cost of $3.00 per month. In order for the state to take advantage of the Federal Program there will be many changes made in our tax supported Medical Care Plan, a standard procedure for allowing medical services to recipients. The effective date for hospital and medical insurance is July 1, 1966. Clients will be covered by hospital insurance if applied for. The deadline for applying for Medical Insurance is March 31, 1966 if clients wish to be covered when the program starts on July 1st.

It would appear that Medicare, in its present form, will not show a noticeable downward trend in medical costs during 1966 as all our cases in nursing homes, chronic hospitals, etc., will not be covered as the program calls for entering such facilities within fourteen days after being discharged from a hospital. For all Old Age Assistance recipients who are covered for hospital insurance and who receive no benefits, the state is going to "buy-in" for them under medical insurance.

From research figures it would appear that approximately eight percent of our population comes within the incidence of poverty.

This does not mean that all persons classified as poor are receiving some form of public assistance. There are many families seeking out a marginal living, which, on occasion, receive short term assistance, and the cause is usually illness within the family unit.

Our case load averages about two percent of our population. Funds are appropriated to provide a minimum of sustenance to individuals and families. The answer to poverty lies much deeper than the semi-monthly check sent to the home of a destitute family. It is deeper than the work of dedicated social workers who live with family problems on a daily basis. All poor are not unemployed. There are many impoverished individuals who cannot obtain gainful employment and these are the elderly, the mothers of young children, and the physically and mentally handicapped. These, for the most part, make up our case load. This type of impoverishment can be reduced by rehabilitation of self or development of skill or talent for a better life productivity to society. The conditions of change can only gain an upward trend with the coordinated efforts of our great institutions of society and when community leaders accept their responsibilities and push for a better life physiologically, psychologically and economically.

We are grateful to other Town departments, individuals, organizations, and the clergy, for their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

For details of receipts and expenditures see Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. MORRIS, Chairman
JAMES J. TORPEY
JOSEPH R. PLOURDE
RICHARD F. CONWAY
Secretary and Director

REPORT OF THE BENNETT PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The operating year of 1965 saw a continuing increase in the use of the Library Association. Circulation increased to 77,450, a gain of 10% over 1964. It is interesting to note that in the past ten years the circulation has tripled—from 26,000 in 1955 to 77,450 in 1965. We have added 1500 new books this year. The use of the Library by the younger people exceeds adult use by a ratio of 47,000 to 40,000. To provide for the increased use, and to give more equitable time to the adults, we are planning to increase the library hours by opening daily at 11:00 A.M. rather than 2:00 P.M.

The year started out with a severe break in the water main on Saturday, January 16. This is noted here so that we can publicly commend and thank the Town Water Department Employees for their prompt and efficient response, which prevented much loss and damage.

We have continued to maintain the premises by doing necessary repairs to the roof, and have completed a study for repairs to the ceiling and the installation of more adequate lighting, which will be installed during the first quarter of 1966. We have also been assisted greatly by donations of needed lockers and other equipment from local industrial firms, and especially appreciate the donation of floor finishing material and services from Mr. Samuel Lunt, Spring St., Billerica.

The Library Staff, headed by Mrs. Mildred Dodd, has worked hard in performing their duties efficiently in the face of rapidly expanding use, and they deserve commendation.

We again remind the Townspeople that we welcome and encourage them to join our Association, and become an active part of the decisions necessary for the Association's proper planning and functioning. The yearly dues are $1. If one out of every seven of the population belonged, the Town Appropriation increase would be unnecessary this year.

We were pleased to display the winning exhibits of this year's Art Festival, and hope that we will be given the same privilege in future years.

Respectfully submitted,

BRUCE A. BRACE, President

REPORT OF THE BILLERICA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Industrial Commission submits the following report, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1965.

The members of the Commission visited various industries located in the Town, to inquire as to any problems they might have and to assure them of our complete cooperation.

Geartronics completed an addition to its plant on Route 129, to accommodate the Nashoba Engineering Corp. one of its subsidiaries.

Addison-Wesley purchased a large tract of land off Concord Rd. for future use.

During the year, United Parcel Delivery Service moved into town to occupy a brand-new distribution complex for this area. Their fleet of trucks is now garaged in Billerica which does much to broaden our tax base.

DeMoulas have started construction of three new units to the Towne Shopping Center, one of which is completed and occupied.

We cooperated closely with a research group from Lowell Tech, which was compiling a report under a Federal Grant on the Industrial outlook, in the Lowell area. We received one of these reports and it will be invaluable in our search for industry.

The committee is awaiting the completion of the first phase of the Town sewer project, for we know when this is accomplished, we will have a very important selling point for industry to locate in Billerica.

May I take this opportunity to express, on behalf of the Commission, our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Selectmen for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. CURRY
Chairman of the Billerica
Industrial Commission

REPORT OF THE BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

For the year 1965, progress was made by the Housing Authority.

In May, the Certification of Organization was received from the Secretary of State, Kevin H. White.

In mid-June, the resignation of Mr. John J. Harmon was accepted with regret. Due to vacations during the months of July through October of the members of the Board of Selectmen and the Housing Authority, it was not possible to appoint an interim member until November 1, when Leonard H. Harmon replaced his father on the Housing Authority.

The rejection of the Messer Property on Andover Road, by the State Housing Commissioner, dampened the spirit of the Authority Members somewhat, but other sites submitted for approval have attracted his interest.

On November 3, the members of the Authority were invited, and attended, a meeting of The Golden Age Club where Chairman Johnson gave a resume of what has taken place with the Authority since Article 84, of the March 1963 Town Warrant was accepted by the Town.

We appreciate the help given us by Mr. Francis Emmons, Mr. Walter Sullivan and his staff of the Water Department; also the many individuals in the Town Hall who have answered our questions and offered much helpful information.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Chairman
LEONARD H. HARMON,
Vice-Chairman
RUTH M. McCUE, Secretary
OLIVER P. GREENWOOD,
Treasurer
WILLIAM T. DESMOND,
Asst. Treasurer

BILLERICA TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Over two hundred and fifty area Boy Scouts from eleven units spent the June 4th-6th weekend at a mammoth Conservaree held at the Nathaniel R. Jones Forest. The boys cleared Jones Brook, constructed a foot bridge and set up a Forest Management Demonstration Plot.

The selective cutting program ended Dec. 31, 1965. A new program is planned under the A.C.P., one of the conservation services of the Department of Agriculture.

Permission was granted to Edward Fillmore to fill and cover trash along the edge of Martina Gage's Town Forest on Bignell Road.

Members of the Committee also attended Massachusetts Forest and Park Association Statewide Forestry Field Day, held at the Hawley State Forest in West Hawley, Mass.

Respectfully submitted,
GUSTAV WAGNER
Chairman

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1965.

	Sealed	Adjusted
Scales over 10,000 lbs.	1	
Scales 100 to 5,000 lbs	9	1
Scales 10 to 100 lbs.	83	12
Scales under 10 lbs.	14	1
A.V.D.P. Weights	61	
Gasoline Meters	78	4
Grease Meters	18	
Wire-Rope-Cordage Meters	2	

Fees Deposited with Town Treasurer — $389.10.

During the year, I have rechecked periodically scales and gasoline meters for accuracy. With the great number of markets now selling prepackaged meats, vegetables, fruits and other articles, it is necessary to check constantly for weight and price to protect both customer and merchant.

In conclusion I wish to thank all who have co-operated with me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES A. CONSIDINE
Sealer of Weights & Measures

REPORT OF BILLERICA CONSERVATION COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Regular monthly meetings were held throughout the year.

Members traveled to Bedford, Chelmsford, Auburn, Sturbridge and Chicopee, Mass., to meet with the Association of Conservation Commission and the Department of Natural Resources. The purpose, to assist and better understand the various programs being undertaken on local, state and national levels.

The commission met in Bedford with the Bedford Conservation Commission along with other towns that are located in the Shawsheen River Basin. A Steering Committee was appointed at this meeting to study the pollution and encroachment problem.

A special meeting was held jointly in Chelmsford with the Chelmsford Conservation Commission and the Department of Natural Resources. A report was given on the (Wetlands) Hatch Act and its enforcement. Two violations have been discovered in Billerica to date; action may be forthcoming in 1966.

The Fish and Wildlife Service will be working with the Commission in a study of the Richardson Pond area.

The Middlesex Conservation District has approved the request of the Commission for technical assistance on a gravel pit — recreation pond project off Salem Road.

Wildlife Week observance, sponsored annually by National Wildlife Federation, was observed March 14th to 20th. This year the subject was pollution control and prevention.

The proclamation was endorsed by the Selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

GUSTAV WAGNER
Chairman

REPORT OF THE

MILK AND FOOD INSPECTION DIVISION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I again have the honor to present the report of the Sanitarian for the year ending December 31, 1965.

There were two hundred ninety-one milk and cream samples, taken at random from delivery trucks and outlets which were examined for conformance of State Standards on butterfat, coloform, total solids, bacterial count and phosphatase.

Two hundred and seventy-six bacterial swabs were taken of eating and drinking utensils at those establishments serving food or drink.

Complaints received in regard to quality of products were thoroughly investigated.

Approximately one hundred pounds of various foodstuffs were found unfit for human consumption and were destroyed.

Routine inspections were made monthly of all food handling establishments.

I have completed an extensive training course given to Food and Drug Officials by the United States Department of Public Health in Washington on emergency preparedness.

I wish to express my appreciation to your Board and other Town officials and Departments for their cooperation in the administration of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. RIMBACH, R.S.
Sanitarian

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report for the year 1965.

Cash on hand January 1, 1965	$	803,384.03
Receipts to December 31, 1965		11,120,881.58
		$11,924,265.61
Paid on warrants drawn by Town Accountant to December 31, 1965		$10,787,868.95
Balance at The First National Bank of Boston		240,288.85
Balance at The New Eng. Merch'ts Nat'l Bank		15,000.00
Balance at Arlington Trust Company		213,709.05
Balance at The First Bank and Trust Co.		115,895.43
Balance at Lowell 5¢ Savings Bank		3,296.04
Balance at Middlesex County National Bank		548,207.29
		$11,924,265.61

For detail of receipts and expenditures see Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. FOWLER
Town Treasurer

TAX COLLECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as your Collector of Taxes for the Year 1965.

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE

	1953-1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Totals
Uncollected Balance 1-1-65	$14,196.55	$ 6,944.20	$ 6,359.73	$ 6,379.44	$12,484.62	$ 67,848.07	$	$ 114,212.61
1965 Commitments						8,908.46	423,985.33	432,893.79
Refunds				6.60	32.11	4,696.06	5,957.28	10,692.05
Adjusting 1964 Receipts (debit)					664.13			664.13
Audit Adj. (debit)		13.37	20.39	167.55	.30	790.74		992.35
Audit Adj. (credit)			17.57	20.72		.20		38.49
Cash Collected	330.05	138.40	168.85	258.00	1,692.45	61,491.67	340,189.95	404,269.37
Abatements					114.12	8,029.44	43,221.24	51,364.80
Uncollected Balance 12-31-65	13,866.50	6,819.17	6,193.70	6,274.87	11,374.59	12,722.02	46,531.42	103,782.27

POLL TAX

Uncollected Balance 1-1-65	810.00	344.00	474.00	418.00	552.00	No Commitments		2,598.00
Refunds	8.00		2.00			No Longer a Tax		10.00
Audit Adj. (debit)			2.00	2.00				4.00
Cash Collected	12.00	2.00	8.00	4.00	10.00			36.00
Abatements	756.00	292.00	354.00	316.00				1,718.00
Uncollected Balance 12-31-65	50.00	50.00	116.00	100.00	542.00			858.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX

Uncollected Balance 1-1-65	4,453.46	2,421.12	1,835.82	1,987.20	2,157.20	6,895.02		19,750.32
1965 Commitments							239,811.99	239,811.99
Refunds						169.70		169.70
Audit Adj. (debit)					28.50	25.75		54.25
Correcting 1964 abatement (debit)						4.50		4.50
Adj. 1964 Receipts (credit)					109.50			109.50
Cash Collected			18.60		9.50	4,381.35	219,042.99	223,452.44

Transferred to Special Account for Bond Protection							15,820.00	15,820.00
Abatements						474.10	28.25	502.35
Uncollected Balance 12-31-65	4,453.46	2,421.12	1,817.22	1,987.20	2,067.20	2,239.52	4,920.75	19,906.47

REAL ESTATE TAX

Uncollected Balance 1-1-65	1,058.30	1,488.41	541.27	4,337.07	29,972.86	149,285.18		186,683.09
1965 Commitments							3,299,728.82	3,299,728.82
Refunds				88.85	298.70	4,474.16	27,097.50	31,959.21
Adjusting 1964 Receipts (Debit)						81.36		81.36
Adjusting 1964 Abatements (Debit)						20.60		20.60
Adjusting 1964 Refund (Debit)					19.00			19.00
Disclaimed Tax Titles (Debit)		870.09	834.21	861.12	852.15	923.91		4,341.18
Audit Adjustment (Debit)		18.88	36.17	4.80	61.69	.21		121.75
Audit Adjustment (Credit)		74.90	.11	189.71	51.92	25.75		342.39
Adjusting 1964 Receipts (Credit)					554.63			554.63
Cash Collected			6.31	2,099.90	23,819.62	111,524.02	2,856,046.80	2,993,496.65
Abatements					69.35	5,264.33	193,283.94	198,617.62
Trans. to Special Acct. (For Bond Protection)							70,571.89	70,571.89
To Tax Title		870.09	834.21	861.12	2,234.35	2,169.18	22,219.52	29,188.47
Uncollected Balance 12-31-65	1,058.30	1,432.39	571.02	2,141.11	4,474.53	35,802.14	184,704.17	230,183.66

FARM ANIMAL EXCISE

Uncollected Balance 1-1-65	3.13		50.00	58.50	4.50		116.13
1965 Commitment						102.57	102.57
Audit Adjustment (Credit)				28.50			28.50
To correct 1964 Abatement (Credit)					4.50		4.50
Cash Collected						102.57	102.57
Uncollected Balance 12-31-65	3.13		50.00	30.00	00.00	00.00	83.13

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

	ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS	WATER LIENS				STREET BETTERMENTS				COMMITTED INTEREST			
		1959	1963	1964	1965	1962	1963	1964	1965	1962	1963	1964	1965
Uncollected Bal. 1-1-65	Total all Years	$83.76	$459.16	$2,365.95	$	$36.26	$241.12	$847.94	$	$17.55	$143.10	$672.22	$
1965 Paid in Adv. Com.	$1,957.30								1,655.78				17.66
1965 Commitments					11,173.67				4,612.03				2,433.95
Refunds					20.00		27.25				16.38		
Audit Adj. (Debit)				123.94			29.50	24.79	334.64		22.42	1.25	

Audit Adj. (Credit)							43.25	123.94			18.09	168.67		
Cash Collected			225.84	1,450.91	7,753.51	36.26	213.27	439.28	5,674.44	17.55	138.97	260.57	1,883.92	
Adj. 1964 Receipts (Cr)				51.44				17.00				12.92		
Adj. 1964 Abate. (Cr)														
Adj. 1964 Refunds (Cr)								20.43				15.53		
To Tax Title			185.79		539.83		41.35	41.35	184.51		24.84	31.42	130.36	
Uncollected Bal. 12-31-65	$1,957.30	83.76	47.53	987.54	2,900.33	00.00	00.00	230.73	743.50	00.00	00.00	184.36	437.33	

FEES and INTEREST SCHEDULE

Fees Collected & Turn. over to Town Treas.	$ 6,241.25
Fees & Interest added to Tax Titles	1,145.40
Trailer Fees turned over to Treasurer (not taken by Collector)	2,416.00
Int. Collected & Turned over to Treasurer	11,073.15
Fees for Municipal Lien Cert. to Treasurer	2,232.00
Fees for Dissolve. of Better. Cert. to Treas.	14.00
	$23,121.80

TAXES TRANSFERRED TO SPECIAL ACCOUNT FOR BOND PROTECTION (A Legis. Act)

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Totals
Personal Property	$	$	$	$14,250.00	$15,450.00	$15,820.00	$ 45,520.00
Real Estate	61,896.48	59,344.04	61,594.37	61,921.76	67,136.22	70,571.89	382,464.76
Cash Coll., P.P.				14,250.00	15,450.00		29,700.00
Cash Col., R.E.	2,612.21	2,504.49	2,585.28	2,558.35	2,773.79		13,034.12
Uncol. Bal. 12-31-65	59,284.27	56,839.55	59,009.09	59,363.41	64,362.43	86,391.89	385,250.64

We of the Collector of Taxes Office wish to thank you, the various other Departments and the Townspeople we serve, for a wonderfully cooperative year in 1965. Our aim is to serve you all well in 1966 and in every other manner possible for the benefit of all concerned in our Town.

Thanking you for your continued confidence I remain

Yours truly,

JOHN F. MONAHAN,
Your Collector of Taxes

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Valuation of Tax Exempted Property

Religious, Charitable, etc.	$ 647,230.00
County of Middlesex	2,564,000.00
Billerica, Town of	4,677,640.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	9,200.00
United States Government	900.00
	$7,898,970.00
Amount set up for Overlay	$ 169,575.75
Abatements	199,119.97

Abatements

Chapter 59, Sec. 5, Clause 22 Disabled Veterans, Spanish War Veterans and Widows, World War I Widows, Gold Star Parents, Holders of the Purple Heart, etc.	$ 102,409.20
Chapter 59, Sec. 5, Clause 17, 18, 37 and 41 Widows, Persons over 70, Blind, etc.	89,444.90
Adjustments, Form 127 and 128	7,265.87
	$ 199,119.97

Motor Vehicle Excise

Committed to Tax Collector	Levy 1964	$ 9,679.19
	Levy 1965	423,985.33
		$ 433,664.52

Motor Vehicle Excise Abatements

Cars and trucks traded, duplicate registrations, etc.		
	Levy 1963	$ 114.12
	Levy 1964	8,009.44
	Levy 1965	43,221.24
		$ 51,344.80

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the various Departments for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY F. COLLINS
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
AUSTIN P. BENT
Board of Assessors

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

of Property, and Taxes, as Assessed January 1, 1965

FOR BILLERICA

Compiled from the figures as entered on the tax list
Not including figures relating to EXEMPTED PROPERTY or to the MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE or to LIVE STOCK subject to FARM ANIMAL EXCISE

Item No.	Number of Persons Assessed	Individuals	All Others*	Total
1.	On Personal Estate Only	20	35	55
2.	On Real Estate Only	6879	145	7024
3.	On Both Personal and Real Estate	310	14	324
	(NOT the sum of Items 1 and 2)			
4.	**Total Number of Persons Assessed**			7515

*Partnerships, Associations or Trusts, Corporations.

5.	**Value of Assessed Personal Estate**		
6.	Stock in Trade	$ 39,030.00	
7.	Machinery	173,000.00	
8.	Live Stock (Do not include value of farm animals)	2,940.00	
9.	All Other Tangible Personal Property	1,903,860.00	
10.	**Total Value of Assessed Personal Estate**		$ 2,118.830.00
	Value of Assessed Real Estate		
11.	Land exclusive of Buildings	$ 4,056,690.00	
12.	Buildings exclusive of Land	25,141,240.00	
13.	**Total Value of Assessed Real Estate**		$29,197,930.00
14.	**Total Valuation of Assessed Estate**		$31,316,760.00
15.	Tax Rate per $1,000 = $113.00		
	Taxes for State, County, and City or Town Purposes, Including Overlay		
16.	On Personal Estate (Item 10 x Item 15) (Do Not Include Farm Animal Excise)	$ 239,427.79	
17.	On Real Estate (Item 13 x Item 15)	3,299,366.09	

19.	**Total Taxes Assessed**		$ 3,538,793.88
	Number of Live Stock Estimated Under Section 36, Chapter 59	**General**	**Farm Animals Assessed $5 Excise**
20.	Horses (1 year old, or over)	49	2
	Neat Cattle: (1 year old, or over)		
21.	Cows (Milch)	6	72
22.	Bulls, Oxen; Yearlings: Steers heifers		
23.	Swine (6 months old, or over)		125
24.	Sheep (6 months old, or over)	14	
25.	Fowl		5320
26.	Goats	3	
27.	**Number of Acres of Land Assessed**		16,617
28.	**Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed***		6,052

*Each building used as a dwelling counted as ONE without regard to the number of families housed.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Table of Aggregates as it appears in the Valuation List, according to our best knowledge and belief.

Subscribed this 8th day of November, 1965, under the penalties of perjury.

HENRY F. COLLINS
AUSTIN P. BENT
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
Board of Assessors of Billerica

To be returned to Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, 80 Mason Street, Boston, Mass. 02105 (Mailing address: P.O. Box 1952, Boston, Mass. 02105), on or before July 1, 1965 with a statement on oath of the causes of any decrease in the aggregate valuation since January 1, 1965, as required by General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 84.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BILLERICA 1965 RECAPITULATION

A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1964 Tax Rate was Fixed.

	Special Meeting	$ 2,000.00	
1.	Total appropriations to be raised by taxation	4,875,920.88	
2.	Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds: (a) In 1965 $24,239.71 (b) In 1964 since 1964 rate was fixed	24,239.71	$4,902,160.59
3.	Amount certified by Treasurer for Tax Title foreclosure, $36.00 each, (Chapter 60, § 50B)		5,000.00
4.	Debt and Interest Charges, matured and maturing, as Certified under Chapter 44, § 16, NOT included above		3,654.66
5.	Amount necessary to satisfy final court judgments		363.22
6.	Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years: 1953: $22.30; 1954: $162.00; 1955: $127.37; 1960: $51.55		71,440.69
7.	Total deficits		
8.	Any other amount required to be raised: Retirement $55,585.16, Overdrafts $15,855.53		

B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:

		1965 Estimates Col. 1 of Cherry Sheet	1964 Underestimates Col. 2 of Cherry Sheet
1.			
2.	State Parks and Reservations	$ 10,763.53	
3.	State Audit of Municipal Accounts	106.62	
4.	State Examination of Retirement System		
5.	Mosquito Control		
6.	Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths		

7.	Investigation of Veterans' Benefits			
8.	Smoke Inspection Service			
9.	Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	1,970.85		
10.				
11.	Total State Tax and Assessments	$ 12,841.00		12,841.00
C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments				
1.	County Tax	$ 77,455.92	$ 3,171.06	
2.	County Hospital Assessment	1,083.01		
3.				
4.	Total County Tax and Assessments	$ 78,538.93	$ 3,171.06	81,709.99
D. OVERLAY of current year				169,575.75
E.		**GROSS AMOUNT TO BE RAISED**		$5,246,745.90

F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS Note—The amount entered for each of the first four items must be exactly as certified to you.

1.	Income Tax	$ 298,876.92
2.	Corporation Taxes	109,874.79
3.	Reimbursement on account of publicly owned Land	624.96
4.	Old Age Tax (Meals), Chapter 64B, S 10 (Col. 3 of Cherry Sheet)	7,229.17
5.	Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	364,140.02
6.	Licenses	14,033.00
7.	Fines	510.00
8.	Special Assessments	11,802.00
9.	General Government	13,845.00
10.	Protection of Persons and Property	16,908.00

11.	Health and Sanitation	6,138.00	
12.	Highways		
13.	Charities (other than federal grants)	45,674.00	
14.	Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	67,271.00	
15.	Veterans' Services	34,276.00	
16.	School (Funds from Income Tax not to be included)	106,677.00	
17.	Libraries		
18.	Recreation		
19.	Public Service Enterprises (such as Water Department)	194,058.00	
20.	Cemeteries (other than trust funds and sale of lots)	4,855.00	
21.	Interest: On Taxes and Assessments $13,231.00; On Dep. $12,720.66 Total Interest	25,952.00	
22.	State Assistance for School Construction — Chapter 645, Acts of 1948	206,410.00	
23.	Farm Animal Excise	151.00	
24.	Sewer Receipts	7,266.00	
25.	Insurance Dividend	1,296.00	
26.			
27.			
28.	Total Estimated Receipts		$1,537,867.86
29.	Overestimates of previous year to be used as available funds (Col. 4 of Cherry Sheet):		
	(a) State Parks	$ 844.45	

30. Amounts voted to be taken from available funds.

Amount	Date of Vote	Source of Funds
$ 145,000.00	3-13-65 (Rate)	Free Cash
81.35	3-13-65	Free Cash
2,000.00	3-13-65	Sale of Lots Fund

8,933.50	3-13-65	Library State Aid	
13,224.86	3-13-65	Var. Balances	

31. Total Amounts voted to be taken from available funds 169,239.71

32. Total available funds 170,084.16

33. Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds 1,707,952.02

G. NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY $3,538,793.88

H.

J.

Total Personal Property	$ 2,118,830.00	Personal Property Tax	$ 239,427.79
Valuation: Real Estate	29,197,930.00	Real Estate Tax	3,299,366.09
Total	$31,316,760.00	TAX RATE - $113.00	

K. ☐ Gain or ☐ Loss (check which) to avoid fractional divisions of tax rate (adjust overlay).

L. TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON PROPERTY $3,538,793.88

(Item L must be the same in amount as Item G)

M. Items not entering into the determination of the tax rate

1. Betterment and special assessments added to taxes:

	Committed Amount	Interest	Total
(a) Street	$ 4,577.53	$ 2,430.04	$ 7,007.57
2. Water Liens added to taxes	11,173.67		11,173.67

N. (Sum of totals of items 1(a) and 2) Total of all other commitments 18,181.24

O. Total amount of 1965 taxes on property and of assessments added to taxes as committed to Collector	$3,556,975.12

(#8. OVERDRAFTS

Police Department Expense	$ 145.65
Fire Department Expense	2,490.19
Public Works Overtime	2,111.24
Snow and Sanding	1,793.22
Veterans' Benefits	9,315.23
TOTAL	$ 15,855.53

1965 Tax Rate fixed on June 15,1965.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY F. COLLINS
AUSTIN P. BENT
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
Board of Assessors of Billerica

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Attached herewith is the annual report of this office for the year ended December 31, 1965.

I wish to express my appreciation to the town officers and employees for their assistance and cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH J. McKENNA
Town Accountant

Town of Billerica

ANALYSIS OF TREASURER'S RECEIPTS

Year Ended December 31, 1965

Taxes and Excise from Collector - per Schedule A		
Poll	$ 36.00	
Personal Property	253,152.44	
Real Estate	3,006,530.77	
Motor Vehicle Excise	404,269.37	
Farm Animal Excise	102.57	$ 3,664,091.15
Street Betterment Assessments		6,363.25
Tax Title Redemptions		7,050.78
Licenses, Permits and Fees:		
Liquor, Beer and Wine	$ 12,207.00	
Sunday	878.00	
Common Victualers	90.00	
Marriage	432.00	
Gun	206.00	
Plumbing	2,301.50	
Gas	856.00	
Building	7,182.00	
Wire	3,650.00	
Septic Tanks	3,590.00	
Trailer Fees	2,416.00	
Miscellaneous	244.50	34,053.00
Water Liens Added to Taxes		9,430.26
Court Fines		907.36
Federal Welfare Grants:		
Old Age Assistance	$ 58,067.75	

Medical Assistance to the Aged	82,334.35	
Aid to Families with Dependent Children	65,298.45	
Disability Assistance	16,988.80	222,689.35
Federal Aid - Schools — Public Law 874		48,621.00
Federal Aid - Schools — Public Law 864		7,241.99
Fed. Aid — Water Works Improvements		42,268.50
State Grant for Library		4,466.75
State Grant — Bridge Street Repairs		18,961.38
State Reimbursement — Veterans' Abatements		4,932.79
State Reimbursement — Civil Defense		1,732.75
State Reimbursement — Loss of Taxes		624.96
State Grants for Schools:		
Chapter 70	$ 254,371.70	
Transportation of Pupils	82,499.00	
Special Education Program	29,797.00	
Child Guardianship	8,472.18	
Youth Service Board	266.71	
Vocational Education	4,334.03	
School Construction	206,401.08	586,141.70
State Allocation of Taxes:		
Meals Taxes	$ 7,512.28	
Income Taxes	25,875.00	
Corporation Taxes	127,813.41	161,200.69

DEPARTMENTAL

Town Clerk:		
Mortgages	$ 2,869.55	
Certified Copies	214.50	
Business Certificates	30.00	3,114.05
Town Hall — Rent		520.00
Planning Board		1,350.50
Board of Appeals		1,000.00
Map Committee — Sale of Tax Maps		605.50
By-Laws Committee — Sale of By-Laws Booklets		116.25
Police Department:		
Accident Reports	$ 669.78	
Insurance Proceeds	89.00	758.78
Fire Department:		
Telephone Commission	$ 182.31	
Insurance Proceeds	110.97	293.28

Building Department:			
Sale of Code Books	$	97.50	
Sale of Photo Copies		8.00	105.50
Board of Health:			
Dumping Fees	$	670.00	
Nursing Fees		30.25	
Bottling Fee		20.00	720.25
Sealer of Weights and Measures			389.10
Collector of Taxes:			
Lien Certificates	$	2,232.00	
Certificates of Betterment Dissolution		14.00	2,246.00
Treasurer:			
Instruments of Tax Title Redemption			38.00
Board of Public Welfare:			
Temporary Aid, Support and Burials:			
State Grants	$	3,249.11	
Cities and Towns		7.49	3,256.60
Disability Assistance — State Grants			21,232.97
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — State Grants			35,679.86
Old Age Assistance:			
State Grants	$	25,014.79	
Individuals		1,805.67	26,820.46
Medical Assistance to the Aged — State Grants			53,575.21
Veterans' Benefits:			
State Grants	$	33,647.62	
Individuals		5,414.50	39,062.12
Public Works Department:			
Chapter 90 Construction — State	$	35,623.53	
Chapter 90 Construction — County		13,036.16	
Chapter 90 Maintenance — State		1,469.43	
Chapter 90 Maintenance — County		1,469.43	
Insurance Proceeds		146.95	
Sale of Equipment		482.00	
Sale of Gravel		65.50	52,293.00
School Department:			
School Lunch Program	$	215,502.21	
Athletic Receipts		8,352.18	
Rentals		1,429.50	
Manual Training		160.65	
Adult Education Fees		742.35	
Summer School Tuition		2,961.00	
Insurance Proceeds		125.00	

School Band Fees		268.00	
Miscellaneous		299.42	229,840.31
Cemetery Department:			
Sale of Lots and Graves	$	2,900.00	
Care of Lots and Graves		198.00	
Burials and Foundations		5,274.00	
Perpetual Care Bequests		4,270.00	12,642.00
Water Department:			
Sale of Water	$	167,379.87	
Installations		32,867.69	
Repairs		984.56	201,232.12
Sewerage System Receipts			7,682.95
OTHER RECEIPTS			
Sale of Real Estate			4,752.25
Taxes on Real Estate Sold			323.75
Advertising Reimbursement on Real Estate Sold			134.85
Rental of Memorial Field			75.00
Rental of Water Tower Space			840.00
County Allocation of Dog License Income			2,872.30
Tax Anticipation Loan Proceeds			1,800,000.00
Chapter 90 Loan Proceeds			30,000.00
Sewer Loan Proceeds			1,800,000.00
Fire Station Loan Proceeds			85,000.00
Interest:			
Deferred Taxes	$	11,073.15	
Tax Titles Redeemed		201.37	
Cemetery Funds		436.50	
Street Betterment Assessments		2,301.01	
Certificates of Indebtedness		13,042.90	
Faulkner Fund — Library		44.22	
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund		356.25	
Accrued — Fire Station Loan		216.75	
Accrued — Sewer Loan		4,590.00	
School Trust Funds		3,164.98	
Forest Fund		46.04	35,473.17
State Withholding Tax Compensation			243.18
Group Hospitalization Insurance Div.			5,550.00
Certificates of Deposits Redeemed			1,300,000.00
Premium on Fire Station Bonds			136.00
Premium on Sewer Bonds			2,880.00
Cemetery — Withdrawal from Interest Accounts			2,682.24
Cemetery — Withdrawal from Gray Fund			626.14
Forest Fund Withdrawal			3,250.00
Fees on Taxes Collected			6,241.25

Employee Deductions:		
Group Insurance	$ 40,705.45	
Retirement System	53,192.28	
State Tax	43,116.23	
Federal Tax	322,772.71	
Savings Bonds	7,603.11	467,389.78
Dog Licenses Collected for County		4,524.75
Sale of Dogs Collected for County		153.00
Planning Board —		
Performance Bond Receipts		37,869.00
Refunds:		
General Departments	$ 14,390.31	
Prior Year's Appropriation	122.14	14,512.45
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$11,120,881.58

TAX AND EXCISE RECEIPTS

Schedule A

Year Ended December 31, 1965

Year	Poll	Personal Property	Real Estate	Motor Vehicle	Farm Animal	Total
1953				$ 6.20		$ 6.20
1954				5.00		5.00
1955				25.42		25.42
1956	$ 4.00			8.17		12.17
1957	2.00			118.38		120.38
1958	4.00			80.83		84.83
1959	2.00			86.05		88.05
1960	2.00		$ 2,612.21	138.40		2,752.61
1961	8.00	$ 18.60	2,510.80	168.85		2,706.25
1962	4.00		4,685.18	258.00		4,947.18
1963	10.00	14,259.50	26,377.97	1,692.45		42,339.92
1964		19,831.35	114,297.81	61,491.67		195,620.83
1965		219,042.99	2,856,046.80	340,189.95	102.57	3,415,382.31
TOTAL	$ 36.00	$ 253,152.44	$3,006,530.77	$ 404,269.37	$ 102.57	$3,664,091.15

ANALYSIS OF BUDGET ITEMS

Town of Billerica

Year Ended December 31, 1965

Account No.		Available	Expended	Balance
	Selectmen:			
101	Salaries	$ 5,000.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 0.00
102	Clerk Wages	600.00	600.00	0.00
103	Expense	1,755.00	1,733.87	21.13
104	Out of State Travel	300.00	20.00	280.00
	Accountant:			
111	Salary	6,953.00	6,953.00	0.00
112	Clerk Wages	1,200.00	1,200.00	0.00
113	Expense	600.00	508.54	91.46
115	Out of State Travel	100.00	100.00	0.00
	Treasurer:			
121	Salary	6,135.00	6,135.00	0.00
122	Clerk Wages	7,135.00	7,135.00	0.00
123	Expense	1,561.00	1,557.30	3.70
124	Perfection of Tax Titles	1,664.91	194.22	1,470.69
125	Other Finance Exp.	1,528.00	1,528.00	0.00
126	Out of State Travel	100.00	74.48	25.52
127	Capital Outlay	350.00	350.00	0.00
	Collector of Taxes:			
131	Salary	7,362.00	7,362.00	0.00
132	Clerk Wages	8,978.27	8,921.42	56.85
133	Expense	3,150.00	3,149.93	.07
134	Tax Sale Expense	300.00	293.50	6.50
135	Capital Outlay	225.00	224.43	.57
	Assessors:			
141	Salary (Principal)	7,158.00	7,158.00	0.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00
143	Clerk Wages	10,485.00	10,149.24	335.76
144	Expense	3,780.00	3,160.04	619.96
145	Capital Outlay	50.00	50.00	0.00
	Town Clerk:			
151	Salary	6,646.00	6,646.00	0.00
152	Clerk Wages	3,878.96	3,878.96	0.00
153	Expense	1,556.00	1,312.53	243.47
154	Capital Outlay	50.00	41.42	8.58
155	Out of State Travel	200.00	200.00	0.00
	Board of Registrars:			
161	Salaries	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
162	Clerk Wages	3,724.00	3,698.00	26.00
163	Expense	3,750.00	3,083.03	666.97
	Election Department:			
166	Salaries	2,888.00	2,664.00	224.00
167	Expense	1,131.65	1,131.65	0.00
	Town Hall:			

171	Salary	5,336.92	5,336.92	0.00
172	Vacation and Sick Replacement	400.00	400.00	0.00
173	Expense	3,071.00	3,056.25	14.75
176	Legal Department Exp.	5,000.00	4,998.85	1.15
181	Finance Committee Exp.	900.00	656.60	243.40
	Planning Board:			
186	Clerk Wages	594.00	564.76	29.24
187	Expense	5,700.00	4,642.74	1,057.26
191	Board of Appeals Exp.	1,800.00	1,086.65	713.35
196	Personnel Board Exp.	150.00	149.95	.05
	Police Department:			
201	Salaries	191,957.00	184,844.85	7,112.15
202	Clerk Wages	1,000.00	803.32	196.68
203	Expense	22,353.00	21,324.75	1,028.25
204	Ambulance Expense	1,500.00	1,497.35	2.65
205	Capital Outlay	785.00	754.06	30.94
	Fire Department:			
211	Salaries	261,593.00	260,603.98	989.02
212	Clerk Wages	3,803.00	2,107.31	1,695.69
213	Expense	22,456.00	22,378.72	77.28
214	Forest Fire Patrol	400.00	116.09	283.91
	Civil Defense:			
221	Salary	1,300.00	1,300.00	0.00
222	Clerk Wages	850.00	849.35	.65
223	Expense	3,790.00	3,773.56	16.44
	Building Department:			
231	Salaries	16,359.00	14,790.54	1,568.46
232	Clerk Wages	3,848.24	3,848.24	0.00
233	Expense	2,825.00	2,709.87	115.13
234	Demolition	200.00	150.00	50.00
235	Out of State Travel	100.00	90.00	10.00
236	Capital Outlay	100.00	84.45	15.55
	Wire Inspector:			
241	Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00	0.00
242	Assistant's Salary	800.00	800.00	0.00
243	Expense	650.00	572.24	77.76
	Sealer of Weights and Measures:			
251	Salary	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
252	Expense	500.00	500.00	0.00
	Dog Officer:			
261	Salary	1,600.00	1,600.00	0.00
262	Expense	834.00	785.17	48.83
263	Use of Kennels	100.00	100.00	0.00
301	Cattle Inspector Salary	250.00	250.00	0.00
	Board of Health:			
311	Salaries	3,100.00	3,100.00	0.00
312	Clerk Wages	600.00	600.00	0.00
313	Expense	5,700.00	5,486.86	213.14
314	Dump	8,500.00	7,359.05	1,140.95
315	Garbage Contract	27,300.00	18,200.00	9,100.00

316	Hospitalization	10,000.00	9,902.33	97.67
317	Capital Outlay	100.00	85.00	15.00
	Public Health Nurse:			
321	Salary	5,146.00	5,146.00	0.00
322	Expense	1,200.00	1,186.50	13.50
323	Vacation Replacement	432.00	398.76	33.24
	Milk Inspector:			
331	Salary	1,950.00	1,950.00	0.00
332	Expense	700.00	700.00	0.00
	Public Works Department:			
401	Salaries	229,437.00	225,546.06	3,890.94
401a	Salary (Administrator)	8,873.00	6,639.96	2,233.04
401b	Salary (Highway Supt.)	6,745.00	6,745.00	0.00
402	Overtime	13,900.00	12,232.20	1,667.80
404	Expense	33,150.00	33,130.11	19.89
405	Street Numbering	500.00	27.00	473.00
	Highway Department:			
411	Expense	19,000.00	18,971.05	28.95
412	Equipment Rental	4,500.00	4,500.00	0.00
413	Road Machinery	5,000.00	4,983.46	16.54
414	Tar and Oil	30,000.00	30,000.00	0.00
415	Chapter 90 Maint.	4,500.00	4,500.00	0.00
416	Chapter 90 Const.	62,550.35	49,040.80	13,509.55
417	Snow and Sand	60,000.00	58,500.62	1,499.38
418	Street Lighting	23,500.00	23,352.04	147.96
419	Bituminous Concrete	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
420	Surveying & Engineering	5,000.00	3,160.84	1,839.16
	Water Department:			
451	Expense	44,963.25	44,963.25	0.00
452	Chem. and Lab. Supp.	25,120.13	25,120.13	0.00
	Park and Tree Department:			
461	Expense	3,500.00	3,496.44	3.56
462	Poison Ivy	500.00	500.00	0.00
463	Moth Control	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
464	Parks and Playgrounds	2,000.00	1,974.11	25.89
465	Dutch Elm	1,000.00	994.07	5.93
471	Sewerage Dept. Expenses	3,400.00	3,380.93	19.07
	Welfare Department:			
501	Salaries	12,980.00	12,980.00	0.00
502	Administration	500.00	302.25	197.75
503	Outside Cities	1,000.00	154.97	845.03
511	Welfare Benefits	192,400	191,708.76	691.24
	Department of Veterans' Services:			
571	Salary	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00
572	Expense	850.00	849.93	.07
576	Veterans' Benefits	75,000.00	70,831.16	4,168.84
	School Department:			
601	Salaries and Wages	1,840,204.00	1,840,204.00	0.00
602	Expense	496,176.00	496,173.80	2.20
603	Out of State Travel	400.00	183.56	216.44
604	Vocational Education	8,000.00	7,998.11	1.89

	Maturing Debt and Interest:			
701	Standpipe Const.	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00
702	Water Works	30,000.00	30,000.00	0.00
703	Water Mains — 1954	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00
705	Water Mains — 1956	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
706	Ditson School	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
707	Parker School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00	105,000.00	0.00
709	Nuttings Lake School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
710	Nutt. Lake School Note	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00
711	Jr. High Addition	80,000.00	80,000.00	0.00
712	Treble Cove School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
713	East Billerica School	60,000.00	60,000.00	0.00
714	Street, Sewer and Bldg.	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
751	Interest on Bonds	122,769.00	122,768.75	.25
752	Short Term Interest	25,000.00	21,951.90	3,048.10
	Recreation Commission:			
801	Salaries and Wages	9,520.00	9,517.36	2.64
802	Expense	3,700.00	3,695.45	4.55
803	Golden Age	500.00	491.20	8.80
	Cemetery Commission:			
811	Salaries and Wages	15,097.52	15,097.52	0.00
812	Expense	2,473.86	2,342.81	131.05
	Unclassified:			
851	Printing Town Report	2,745.00	2,744.80	.20
852	Memorial Day	850.00	850.00	0.00
853	Building Insurance	9,500.00	8,777.00	723.00
854	Group Insurance	37,494.02	37,356.71	137.31
855	Workmen's Comp.	11,197.38	3,192.23	8,005.15
856	V.F.W. Quarters (Pinehurst)	200.00	200.00	0.00
857	D.A.V. Quarters	200.00	200.00	0.00
858	V.F.W. Quarters (Solomon Post)	200.00	200.00	0.00
859	Civil Service Clerk	275.00	275.00	0.00
890	Reserve Fund	20,000.00	19,484.15	515.85

The following transfers from the Reserve Fund were made by the Finance Committee:

Chemical and Lab Supplies	$ 7,120.13
Police Department Expense — Cruiser Maintenance	2,400.00
Water Department Expense — Electricity	3,613.25
Sewer Department Expense	150.00
Sewer Dept. Exp. — Electricity and Pumping Sludge	250.00
Other Finance Expenses	1,453.00
Town Accountant Salary	38.00
Town Hall Salary	66.92
Selectmen Expenses	400.00
Election Department Salaries	700.00
Election Department Expense	211.65
Town Clerk — Clerk Wages	3.96
Building Department — Clerk Wages	11.24

Fire Department Expense	1,216.00
Highway Department Expense — Sand and Gravel	1,000.00
Highway Department Expense — Patching	400.00
Highway Department Expense — Street Sign Posts	200.00
Assessors' Expense	150.00
Regional Vocational School Expense	100.00
TOTAL	$ 19,484.15

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES

Year Ended December 31, 1965

Budget Account No.				
	Selectmen			
101	Salaries		$ 5,000.00	
102	Clerk Wages		600.00	
103	Expenses			
	Printing and Advertising	$ 365.70		
	Office Supplies	46.54		
	Check Tellers Services	448.50		
	Custodial Services at Town Meetings	209.43		
	Reporting Town Meetings	76.00		
	Compiling Town Report	60.00		
	Dues	95.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	108.80		
	Perambulating Town Bounds	150.00		
	Constable's Services	103.90		
	Rental of Adding Machines	70.00	1,733.87	
104	Out of State Travel		20.00	
	Advertising Tax Title Lots		148.00	7,501.87
	Town Accountant			
111	Salary		$ 6,953.00	
112	Clerk Wages		1,200.00	
113	Expenses			
	Office Supplies	$ 185.28		
	Telephone at Town Hall	112.68		
	Expenses to Meetings	128.33		
	Dues	10.00		
	Service Contract on Calculators	72.25	508.54	
115	Out of State Travel		100.00	8,761.54
	Treasurer			
121	Salary		$ 6,135.00	
122	Clerk Wages		7,135.00	
123	Expenses			
	Office Supplies	$ 862.77		
	Surety Bond	260.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	102.30		
	Telephone	165.47		
	Use of Auto	49.51		
	Dues	9.00		
	Check Draft File	108.25	1,557.30	

124	Perfection of Tax Titles			
	Clerk Wages	$ 121.64		
	Use of Auto	67.08		
	Office Supplies	5.50	194.22	
125	Other Finance Expenses			
	Bank Fees - Bond Issues	$ 4,500.00		
	Certifying Notes	44.00	4,544.00	
126	Out of State Travel		74.48	
127	Capital Outlay — Typewriter and Adding Machine		350.00	19,990.00
	Collector of Taxes			
131	Salary		$ 7,362.00	
132	Clerk Wages		8,921.42	
133	Expenses			
	Surety Bonds	$ 506.00		
	Office Expenses	2,155.15		
	Telephone	206.78		
	Binding of Books	118.00		
	Deputy Collector's Fee	75.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	82.00		
	Dues	7.00	3,149.93	
134	Tax Sale Expense			
	Advertising	$ 98.00		
	Recording	184.00		
	Notary Public Fees	11.50	293.50	
135	Capital Outlay			
	Cabinet	$ 72.00		
	Adding Machine	150.00		
	Miscellaneous	2.43	224.43	19,951.28
	Assessors			
141	Salary (Principal)		$ 7,158.00	
142	Salaries (Assistants)		3,000.00	
143	Clerk Wages		10,149.24	
144	Expenses			
	Office Expenses	$ 752.94		
	Use of Auto	943.00		
	Photostatic Copies of Deeds	563.75		
	Prints of Plans	425.30		
	Telephone	230.45		
	Expenses to Meetings	136.10		
	Dues	12.00		
	Office Equipment	96.50	3,160.04	
	Maintenance of Maps — 1964 Appropriation		500.00	

145	Capital Outlay — File			50.00	24,017.28
	Town Clerk				
151	Salary			$ 6,646.00	
152	Clerk Wages			3,878.96	
153	Expenses				
	Office Supplies	$ 237.33			
	Printing and Advertising	596.85			
	Telephone	321.83			
	Expenses to Meetings	109.02			
	Dues	37.50			
	Surety Bond	10.00		1,312.53	
154	Capital Outlay				
	Fan	$ 30.92			
	Card Cabinet	10.50		41.42	
155	Out of State Travel			200.00	12,078.91
	Board of Registrars				
161	Salaries			$ 1,000.00	
162	Clerk Wages			3,698.00	
163	Expenses				
	Listing Services	$ 1,250.53			
	Printing and Advertising	1,653.65			
	Supplies	178.85		3,083.03	7,781.03
	Election Department				
166	Salaries			$ 2,664.00	
167	Expenses				
	Custodian Services	$ 393.60			
	Printing and Advertising	682.14			
	Food	23.26			
	Repairs	32.65		1,131.65	3,795.65
	Town Hall				
171	Salary			$ 5,336.92	
172	Vacation and Sick Replacement			400.00	
173	Expenses				
	Electric	$ 1,180.56			
	Fuel	1,090.76			
	Insurance	259.25			
	Water	49.73			
	Janitor Supplies	220.40			
	Repairs	215.55			
	Draping Hall	40.00		3,056.25	8,793.17
176	Legal Dept. Expenses				$ 4,998.85
181	Finance Committee Expenses				
	Printing			$ 606.60	
	Dues			35.00	

	Expenses to Meetings		15.00	656.60
	Planning Board			
186	Clerk Wages		$ 564.76	
187	Expenses			
	Professional Consultants	$ 4,039.29		
	Dues and Subscriptions	70.00		
	Office Expense	533.45	4,642.74	
	Soil Survey		3,710.00	
	Legal Fees - Article 4 — November 1965		2,050.05	10,967.55
191	Board of Appeals Expenses			
	Advertising		$ 662.00	
	Office Supplies		169.65	
	Clerical Assistance		255.00	1,086.65
196	Personnel Board Expenses			
	Office Expense		$ 73.85	
	Dues		35.00	
	Used Comptometer		25.00	
	Expenses to Meetings		16.10	149.95
	Police Department			
201	Salaries			
	Chief	$ 8,742.86		
	Patrolmen	169,976.44		
	Custodian	6,125.55	184,844.85	
202	Clerk Wages		803.32	
203	Expenses			
	Vehicle Expenses	$ 11,767.95		
	Equipment for Men	2,093.80		
	Electricity	1,144.91		
	Fuel	774.36		
	Telephone	948.90		
	Repairs	479.89		
	Office Supplies	887.26		
	Matron's Salary	582.81		
	Photo Supplies	314.26		
	Laundry	46.70		
	Keeping Prisoners	36.11		
	Radio Service	607.50		
	Rubbish Removal	24.00		
	Custodian Supplies	159.00		
	Traffic Lines	756.00		
	Boat Expense	183.89		
	Water	43.96		
	Expenses to Meetings	93.00		
	Ammunition	65.45		

	Medical Expense		5.00	
	Dues		10.00	
	Training Program		300.00	21,324.75
204	Ambulance Expense			
	Insurance	$	634.65	
	Repairs		405.35	
	Laundry		112.33	
	Oxygen		112.00	
	Radio Service		102.00	
	Supplies		131.02	1,497.35
205	Capital Outlay			
	Photocopy Machine	$	295.00	
	Riot Sticks		87.69	
	Helmets		123.87	
	Ammunition		247.50	754.06
	New Police Officers			
	Salaries	$	11,358.86	
	Equipment		1,038.85	12,397.71
	New Ambulance			8,800.00
	New Cruisers			4,691.00
	Life Preservers for Vehicles			115.00 235,228.04
	Fire Department			
211	Salaries			
	Chief	$	8,741.65	
	Permanent Men		250,662.33	
	Call Men		1,200.00	260,603.98
212	Clerk Wages			2,107.31
213	Expenses			
	Vehicle Expenses	$	4,245.30	
	Equipment for Men		2,444.13	
	Insurance		773.68	
	Gasoline and Oil		1,365.71	
	Electricity		1,549.14	
	Telephone		1,004.51	
	Hose		1,318.03	
	Radio Repairs		681.08	
	Water		172.13	
	Oxygen and Chemicals		528.56	
	Alarm Boxes		1,028.77	
	Laundry		49.89	
	Medical Care		299.72	
	Fuel		2,532.24	
	Supplies		614.28	
	Food		352.50	
	Equipment and Repairs		3,367.05	

	Dues and Subscriptions	52.00	22,378.72	
214	Forest Fire Patrol		116.09	
	Fire Alarm Wires — East Billerica		1,151.75	
	Heavy Duty Truck		3,321.00	
	New Pump		357.54	
	New Fire Station			
	Contractor	$ 15,010.00		
	Architect	5,497.92		
	Advertising	96.45	20,604.37	310,640.76
	Civil Defense			
221	Salary		$ 1,300.00	
222	Clerk Wages		849.35	
223	Expenses			
	Use of Auto	$ 935.76		
	Telephone	852.05		
	Office Supplies	233.68		
	Uniforms	679.51		
	Equipment and Repairs	1,072.56	3,773.56	5,922.91
	Building Department			
231	Salaries			
	Building Inspector	$ 7,025.00		
	Plumbing Inspector	6,650.00		
	Assist. Building Inspectors	1,115.54	14,790.54	
232	Clerk Wages		3,848.24	
233	Expenses			
	Use of Auto	$ 1,994.53		
	Office Expense	390.66		
	Telephone	162.78		
	Photographs	123.90		
	Dues	38.00	2,709.87	
234	Demolition — 1965 Appropriation	$ 150.00		
	Demolition — 1964 Appropriation	200.00	350.00	
235	Out of State Travel		90.00	
236	Capital Outlay — Card File		84.45	21,873.10
	Wire Inspector			
241	Salary		$ 1,800.00	
242	Assistant's Salary		800.00	
243	Expenses			
	Use of Auto	$ 434.66		
	Supplies	87.58		
	Clerical Assistance	50.00	572.24	

	Expenses — 1964 Appropriation			
	Use of Auto		23.36	3,195.60
	Sealer of Weights and Measures			
251	Salary		$ 1,000.00	
252	Expenses			
	Use of Auto	$ 337.14		
	Telephone	73.85		
	Office Supplies	89.01	500.00	1,500.00
	Dog Officer			
261	Salary		$ 1,600.00	
262	Expenses			
	Use of Auto	$ 676.30		
	Telephone	86.61		
	Supplies	22.26	785.17	
263	Use of Kennels		100.00	2,485.17
301	Cattle Inspector - Salary			250.00
	Board of Health			
311	Salaries		$ 3,100.00	
312	Clerk Wages		600.00	
313	Expenses			
	Mosquito Spraying	$ 2,804.51		
	Use of Auto	807.36		
	Disposing of Animals	286.00		
	Telephone	532.18		
	Medicines and Drugs	545.63		
	Office Expense	316.85		
	Signs	127.00		
	Cleaning Street to Dump	24.75		
	Miscellaneous	42.58	5,486.86	
314	Dump		$ 7,359.05	
	Garbage Contract - 1964	$ 8,600.00		
315	Garbage Contract - 1965	18,200.00	26,800.00	
316	Hospitalization		9,902.33	
317	Capital Outlay - File		85.00	
	Sanitary Survey - Nuttings Lake		400.00	
	Algae Control - Nuttings Lake			
	1964 Appropriation	$ 800.00		
	1965 Appropriation	1,950.00	2,750.00	56,483.24
	Public Health Nurse			
321	Salary		$ 5,146.00	
322	Expense - Use of Auto		1,186.50	
323	Vacation Replacement		398.76	6,731.26

	Milk Inspector				
331	Salary			$ 1,950.00	
332	Expense - Use of Laboratory			700.00	2,650.00
	Public Works Department				
401	Salaries				
	Highway Foreman	$	6,944.14		
	Public Works Clerk		6,004.73		
	Laborers - Highway		74,238.04		
	Tree Warden		6,333.69		
	Laborers - Snow & Sanding		7,512.55	$ 101,033.15	
	Water Department				
	Superintendent	$	6,946.87		
	Foremen		6,246.90		
	Chemist		6,040.93		
	Clerks		10,357.04		
	Water Collector		1,600.00		
	Laborers, etc.		72,461.33	103,653.07	
	Park Department	$	2,632.16		
	Moth Department		1,706.16		
	Tree Department		2,036.77		
	Dutch Elm Disease Control		8,718.33		
	Sewer Department		5,766.42	20,859.84	
401(a)	Salary (Administrator)			6,639.96	
401(b)	Salary (Highway Supt.)			6,745.00	
402	Overtime			12,232.20	
	TOTAL			$ 251,163.22	
404	Expenses				
	Gasoline and Oil	$	5,832.60		
	Equipment and Repairs		8,984.09		
	Insurance		4,933.22		
	Maintenance of Buildings		3,982.57		
	Fuel		4,095.31		
	Office Expenses		5,302.32	33,130.11	
405	Street Numbering			27.00	
411	Highway Department Expenses				
	Stone and Gravel	$	9,286.39		
	Equipment and Repairs		6,508.89		
	Pipe		2,572.86		
	Street Signs		513.51		
	Use of Auto		89.40	18,971.05	
412	Equipment Rental			4,500.00	
413	Road Machinery			4,983.46	
414	Tar and Oil			30,000.00	
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance			4,500.00	
	Chapter 90 Construction				

	1962 Appropriation	$	1,015.97	
	1963 Appropriation		11,900.00	
	1964 Appropriation		11,900.00	
416	1965 Appropriation		49,040.80	73,856.77
417	Snow and Sand			
	Plowing	$	22,966.85	
	Salt		20,500.12	
	Sand		11,080.00	
	Equipment and Repairs		3,953.65	58,500.62
418	Street Lighting			23,352.04
419	Bituminous Concrete			20,000.00
420	Surveying and Engineering			3,160.84
	Water Department			
451	Expenses			
	Light and Power	$	18,778.15	
	Pipes and Fittings		12,754.38	
	Meters and Fittings		10,481.63	
	Hardware and Tools		1,805.13	
	Use of Auto		941.96	
	Dues		22.00	
	Tar Patch		180.00	44,963.25
452	Chemical and Lab. Supplies			25,120.13
	Water Extensions - 1965			89,971.03
461	Tree Department Expenses			
	Equipment and Repairs	$	1,985.63	
	Use of Auto		319.34	
	Chemicals		1,191.47	3,496.44
462	Poison Ivy Control			500.00
463	Moth Control			
	Chemicals	$	952.36	
	Repairs		20.40	
	Use of Auto		27.24	1,000.00
464	Parks and Playgrounds			
	Gravel, Loam, Plants	$	278.45	
	Chemicals		819.58	
	Electricity		18.74	
	Use of Auto		31.40	
	Equipment and Repairs		825.94	1,974.11
465	Dutch Elm			
	Insecticides	$	965.11	
	Repairs		13.50	
	Use of Auto		15.46	994.07
471	Sewerage Dept. Expenses			
	Light and Power	$	882.08	

	Equipment and Repairs	1,576.84		
	Chemicals	528.01		
	Subscriptions and Supplies	14.00		
	Pumping Sludge	174.36		
	Use of Equipment	205.64	3,380.93	
	Brush Chipper		3,323.80	
	Dump Trucks — 1964 Appropriation		670.00	
	Dump Truck — 1965 Appropriation		5,823.50	
	Drainage — Central and Rhodes Streets		4,710.00	
	Fordway Bridge and Bridge Street Repairs		4,314.53	
	High Lift Pump		1,430.00	
	Billing Machine		1,123.25	
	Drainage — Hillside Road		6,824.03	
	Water Works Improvement — Federal Aid		42,268.50	
	Sewerage System Construction		112.25	768,144.93

	Welfare Department Salaries	Town Appropriation No. 501	Federal Grants	Total
	Board	$ 895.15		$ 895.15
	Director	2,000.00	$ 6,940.00	8,940.00
	Social Workers	4,080.00	7,967.80	12,047.80
	Clerks	6,004.85	1,388.77	7,393.62
	TOTAL	$ 12,980.00	$ 16,296.57	$ 29,276.57
502	Administration			
	Telephone	$ 297.75		
	Office Expense	4.50	302.25	
503	Outside Cities — 1965 Appropriation	$ 154.97		
	Outside Cities — 1964 Appropriation	46.80	201.77	
511	Welfare Benefits			
	General Relief	$ 17,254.57		
	Disability Assistance	28,319.91		
	Old Age Assistance	24,107.31		
	Aid to Families with Dependent Children	46,319.66		
	Medical Assistance to the Aged	75,707.31	191,708.76	

	Aid to Dependent Children — Federal Grants			
	Cash Grants	$ 60,438.36		
	Use of Auto	479.74		
	Office Expenses	1,120.42	62,038.52	
	Old Age Assistance — Federal Grants			
	Cash Grants	$ 64,396.22		
	Use of Auto	168.02		
	Office Expense	113.09		
	Dues	10.00		
	Insurance	27.00	64,714.33	
	Medical Assistance to the Aged — Federal Grants			
	Cash Grants	$ 80,449.29		
	Use of Auto	226.85		
	Office Expense	70.43	80,746.57	
	Disability Assistance — Federal Grants			
	Office Expense	$ 395.50		
	Cash Grants	20,858.74	21,254.24	
	Bowers Fund Disbursements		129.56	421,096.00
	Department of Veterans' Services			
571	Salary		$ 1,500.00	
572	Expenses			
	Clerical Assistance	$ 323.20		
	Dues	20.00		
	Use of Auto	140.48		
	Office Expense	116.55		
	Expenses to Meetings	125.60		
	Telephone	124.10	849.93	
576	Veterans' Benefits			
	Cash Grants	$ 44,277.30		
	Medical Payments	4,892.95		
	Dental Payments	1,565.55		
	Board and Care	19,219.96		
	Food	215.00		
	Moving	25.00		
	Funeral Expense	250.00		
	House Repairs	334.00		
	Miscellaneous	51.40	70,831.16	73,181.09
	School Department			
601	Salaries			
	Superintendent	$ 14,738.12		

	Asst. Superintendent	10,117.32	
	Clerks	35,786.18	
	Truant Officer	5,025.60	
	Teachers - High School	502,905.12	
	Teachers - Elementary	1,080,720.20	
	Supervisors	16,283.12	
	Nurses	19,960.82	
	Maintenance Man	7,483.12	
	Custodians - High School	41,642.57	
	Custodians - Elementary	98,618.37	
	Traffic Officers	3,113.48	
	School Physicians	3,857.00	
	Matrons	4,792.04	
	Audio Visual	1,700.00	
	School Committee Clerk	507.50	
	Cafeteria Manager	3,700.90	
	Counsellor	4,846.16	1,855,797.62
	Charged to Town Appropriation	$1,840,204.00	
	Charged to Federal Grants	15,593.62	
		$1,855,797.62	
602	Expenses		
	Transportation	$ 161,019.69	
	Fuel and Electric	77,365.41	
	Text and Reference Books	104,795.98	
	High School Athletics	16,371.27	
	Junior High School Athletics	526.00	
	Industrial Arts	8,222.27	
	Household Arts	945.07	
	Telephone	4,992.88	
	School Committee Expenses	489.25	
	Expenses to Meetings	334.26	
	Water	950.70	
	Office Expense	1,572.46	
	Libraries	5,940.39	
	Nurses' Supplies	1,138.14	
	Dues	184.30	
	School Census	493.25	
	Insurance	3,048.88	
	Maintenance of Buildings	73,045.55	
	Furniture	24,422.50	
	Graduation Expense	1,154.80	
	Transporting Food	230.00	
	Handwriting Supervisor	2,520.00	
	Speech Therapy	375.00	
	Summer School Director	500.00	
	Summer School Teachers	4,650.00	

	Miscellaneous		573.75	
	Tuition		312.00	496,173.80
603	Out of State Travel			183.56
604	Vocational Education			7,998.11
	Adult Education			5,000.00
	Regional Vocational School Planning Committee Expenses			310.23
	Regional Vocational School Expenses			100.00
	Federal Aid for Schools			
	Public Law — 864	$	1,332.19	
	Public Law — 874		40,808.33	42,140.52
	High School Athletics — Revolving Fund			3,033.71
	School Band Fund			473.10
	School Lunch Program			
	Salaries	$	70,723.71	
	Expenses - Food, etc.		131,079.98	201,803.69
	Howe Fund			1,147.31
	Spaulding Fund			156.55
	Faulkner Fund			47.82
	River Pines School Construction			
	Architect	$	15,000.00	
	Contractor		96,652.86	
	Equipment		39,952.97	
	Other Construction Costs		1,870.07	153,475.90
	East Billerica School Construction			
	Contractor		627,146.40	
	Equipment		1,248.69	
	Insurance		1,324.00	
	Accounting Services		348.00	
	Clerk of the Works		12,745.80	
	Other Construction Costs		594.50	643,407.39
	Junior High School Addition			
	Architect	$	4,596.65	
	Equipment		3,798.66	
	Loam and Seeding		5,243.50	
	Paving		10,900.00	
	Engineering		180.40	24,719.21 3,435,968.52
	Charged to 1963 Appropriation	$	4,637.65	
	Charged to 1964 Appropriation		19,976.90	
	Charged to Court Judgment		104.66	
		$	24,719.21	

	Bennett Public Library Association			
	Salaries		$ 11,043.75	
	Books		4,213.88	
	Subscriptions		149.70	
	Binding		265.25	
	Supplies		94.17	15,766.75
	Maturing Debt and Interest			
701	Standpipe Construction	$ 4,000.00		
702	Water Works	30,000.00		
703	Water Mains - 1954	10,000.00		
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00		
705	Water Mains - 1956	20,000.00		
706	Ditson School	20,000.00		
707	Parker School	35,000.00		
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00		
709	Nuttings Lake School	35,000.00		
710	Nuttings Lake School Note	5,000.00		
711	Junior High Addition	80,000.00		
712	Treble Cove School	35,000.00		
713	East Billerica School	60,000.00		
714	Street, Sewer and Building	20,000.00	474,000.00	
	Tax Anticipation Loans		1,800,000.00	
751	Interest on Bonds	$ 122,768.75		
752	Short Term Interest	21,951.90	144,720.65	2,418,720.65
	Recreation Commission			
801	Salaries and Wages		$ 9,517.36	
802	Expenses			
	Equipment	$ 2,216.46		
	Officiating at Games	433.00		
	Use of Auto	316.00		
	Clerical Assistance	38.50		
	Dues	72.00		
	Telephone	44.89		
	Custodial Services	40.00		
	Office Expense	406.10		
	Trophy Case	128.50	3,695.45	
803	Golden Age - Bus Transportation		491.20	13,704.01
	Backstop - Dutile Playground			400.00
	Kohlrausch Playground - Fence			803.00
	Little League Expenses			500.00
	Babe Ruth League Expenses			500.00
	Cemetery Commission			
811	Salaries and Wages			
	Superintendent	$ 6,596.58		
	Laborers	8,500.94	$ 15,097.52	
812	Expenses			
	Equipment and Repairs	$ 799.88		

	Insurance	237.54		
	Truck Expense	86.68		
	Fuel	175.56		
	Electric	14.46		
	Telephone	73.24		
	Loam, Seed, etc.	680.45		
	Office Expense	25.00		
	Lowering Device	250.00	2,342.81	
	Developing Burial Grounds - 1964		718.75	
	Expanding Burial Grounds - 1965		1,932.75	
	Gray Fund - Care of Lots		337.00	20,428.83
851	Printing Town Report			2,744.80
852	Memorial Day			850.00
853	Building Insurance			8,777.00
854	Group Insurance			37,356.71
855	Workmen's Compensation			3,192.23
856	V.F.W. Quarters (Pinehurst)			200.00
857	D.A.V. Quarters			200.00
858	V.F.W. Quarters (Solomon Post)			200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk			275.00
	Council for the Aging			7.00
	Industrial Commission			
	Clerical Assistance	$ 24.80		
	Office Expense	22.10		
	Advertising	591.88		
	Food	63.25		
	Flowers	10.00	712.03	
	TB Hospital Assessment			1,083.01
	Retirement Fund Assessment			55,585.16
	Dog Licenses to County			4,585.50
	Sale of Dogs to County			129.00
	Forest Fund Investment			3,250.00
	Court Judgments			
	Helen C. Brown		$ 500.00	
	Charles Thomas, Adm.		2,250.00	2,750.00
	Kohlrausch Playground Fund			296.31
	Kent Fund			74.85
	Tax Maps - 1960 Appropriation			332.50
	Tax Maps - 1964 Appropriation			6.14
	Conservation Fund - 1963			71.60
	Unpaid Bills - 1964			91.38
	Unpaid Bills - 1965			9,993.39
	State Census			1,550.54
	Shade Trees			475.92
	Band Concerts			828.00
	Investments in Certificates of Deposit			2,000,000.00

County Tax Assessment			83,122.21
State Parks Assessment			9,930.04
Auditing Municipal Accounts			106.62
Motor Vehicle Excise Assessment			1,970.85
Cemetery - Perpetual Care Bequests Invested			4,245.00
Faulkner Library Fund to Library			44.22
Stabilization Fund Investment			50,000.00
Employee Deductions			
Group Insurance		$ 40,634.19	
Retirement Deductions		53,192.28	
Federal Withholding Tax		322,772.71	
State Withholding Tax		43,116.23	
Savings Bonds Deductions		7,492.50	467,207.91
Refunds			
Taxes		$ 32,138.91	
Motor Vehicle Excise		10,692.05	
Street Betterments		27.25	
Committed Interest on Betterments		16.38	
Sewerage Rates		10.00	
Water Rates		127.80	
Water Installations		236.92	
Water Liens		20.00	
Tax Fees and Interest		17.65	
Wiring Permits		9.00	
Lien Certificates		3.00	
Cemetery - Sale of Lots		15.00	
Cemetery — Perpetual Care Bequests		25.00	
Planning Board — Performance Bonds		1,904.00	
Bottling Permit - to State		10.00	
General Departments			
Welfare	$ 13,555.54		
All Other	834.77	14,390.31	59,643.27
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS			$10,787,868.95

BALANCE SHEET — GENERAL FUND

Year Ending December 31, 1965

ASSETS

Cash		$1,136,396.66
Certificate of Deposit		1,500,000.00
Taxes Receivable per Exhibit A:		
Poll	$ 858.00	
Personal Property	35,726.47	
Real Estate	599,566.31	636,150.78
Uncollected Excise per Exhibit A:		
Motor Vehicle	$ 103,782.27	
Farm Animal	83.13	103,865.40
Street Betterment Assessments:		
Unapportioned Assessments	$ 8,011.23	
Added to Tax Bills — 1964	230.73	
Added to Tax Bills — 1965	743.50	
Committed Interest — 1964	184.36	
Committed Interest — 1965	437.33	9,607.15
Claims Against Estates of Deceased Persons		1,957.30
Tax Title Accounts	$ 152,816.54	
Tax Possessions	37,944.74	190,761.28
Sewer Accounts Receivable		4,365.51
Water Rates Accounts Receivable	$ 91,106.74	
Water Repairs Accounts Receivable	3,382.96	
Water Liens Added to Taxes — 1959	83.76	
Water Liens Added to Taxes — 1963	47.53	
Water Liens Added to Taxes — 1964	987.54	
Water Liens Added to Taxes — 1965	2,900.33	98,508.86
State and County Highway Aid — Accounts Receivable		22,740.31
Departmental Accounts Receivable		36,736.02

DEFICITS

Overlay — 1956	$ 232.00	
Overlay — 1957	176.00	
Overlay — 1959	156.00	
Overlay — 1960	252.05	
Overlay — 1965	23,736.44	
County Tax — 1965	5,666.29	30,258.73
TOTAL		$3,771,348.00

LIABILITIES, RESERVES and SURPLUS

Deposit on Plans for Betterment Streets	$ 120.00	
Meter Deposits	150.00	
Tailings	817.55	
Deposit on Bond — Jr. High School Bldg.	100.00	
Deposit on Plans — Public Works Dept.	20.00	
Planning Board — Performance Bonds	35,965.00	
Dog Licenses — Collected for County	176.75	
Sale of Dogs — Collected for County	24.00	
Group Insurance — Employee Deductions	192.82	
Savings Bonds — Employee Deductions	555.61	
Chapter 90 Loan	30,000.00	
Overpayment Reserved	197.51	$ 68,319.24
Old Age Assistance Recovery		1,511.87
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:		
1958	$ 2,183.68	
1961	7,366.53	
1962	8,843.50	
1963	7,211.69	
1964	2,380.91	27,986.31
State Parks — Overestimate		833.49
Accrued Interest on Fire Station Bonds		216.75
Accrued Interest on Sewer Bonds		4,590.00
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Street Assessments	$ 9,607.15	
Motor Vehicle	103,782.27	
Farm Animal	83.13	
Estates of Deceased Persons	1,957.30	
Tax Titles and Possessions	190,761.28	
Sewerage System	4,365.51	
Water	98,508.86	
State and County Highway Aid	20,749.65	
Departmental	36,736.02	466,551.17
Special Funds per Exhibit B		83,801.90
Unexpended Appropriation Balances - per Exhibit C		2,421,431.22
Surplus Revenue		696,106.05
TOTAL		$3,771,348.00

EXHIBIT A

TAXES and EXCISE RECEIVABLE

December 31, 1965

Year	Poll	Personal Property	Real Estate	Motor Vehicle	Farm Animal	Total
1953	$	$ 50.00	$	$ 39.50	$	$ 89.50
1954	4.00	225.49	69.00	2,062.73		2,361.22
1955	2.00	287.83	76.36	763.26		1,129.45
1956	2.00	808.99		690.20		1,501.19
1957	2.00	895.80		3,838.80		4,736.60
1958	8.00	717.12	361.88	3,157.51		4,244.51
1959	32.00	1,468.23	551.06	3,314.50		5,365.79
1960	50.00	2,421.12	60,716.66	6,819.17	3.13	70,010.08
1961	116.00	1,817.22	57,410.57	6,193.70		65,537.49
1962	100.00	1,987.20	61,150.20	6,274.87	50.00	69,562.27
1963	542.00	2,067.20	63,789.95	11,374.59	30.00	77,803.74
1964		2,239.52	100,164.57	12,722.02		115,126.11
1965		20,740.75	255,276.06	46,531.42		322,548.23
Total	$858.00	$ 35,726.47	$599,566.31	$103,782.27	$ 83.13	$740,016.18

Included above are the following unpaid taxes due from the Boston and Maine Railroad.

1960 Real Estate	$ 59,284.27
1961 Real Estate	56,839.55
1962 Real Estate	59,009.09
1963 Real Estate	61,921.76
1964 Real Estate	67,136.22
1965 Real Estate	70,931.89
1965 Personal Property	15,820.00
TOTAL	$390,942.78

EXHIBIT B

SPECIAL FUNDS INCLUDED IN GENERAL CASH

December 31, 1965

Medical Assistance for the Aged — U.S. Grant	$ 1,714.44
Old Age Assistance — U.S. Grant	3,594.04
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — U.S. Grant	1,475.93
Disability Assistance — U.S. Grant	544.37
Medical Assistance for the Aged — U.S. Grant - Administration	1,641.26
Old Age Assistance — U.S. Grant - Administration	1,782.70
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — U.S. Grant - Adm.	9,416.80
Disability Assistance — U.S. Grant - Administration	1,454.66
School Lunch Program	30,942.49
High School Athletics — Revolving Fund	6,670.19
Federal Aid for Schools — Public Law 874	3.08
Federal Aid for Schools — Public Law 864	4.18
School Band Fund	229.40
Bowers Fund Income	151.17
Haynes Fund Income	243.02
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund Income	381.05
Workmen's Compensation Fund	8,005.15
Howe Fund Income	1,642.03
Spaulding Fund Income	376.51
Stearns Fund Income	173.91
Faulkner Fund Income	121.25
Kent Fund Income	2,414.27
Rogers Fund Income	40.77
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund	6,662.20
Cemetery — Trust Funds Income	867.03
Forest Fund	3,250.00
TOTAL	$ 83,801.90

EXHIBIT C

UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATION BALANCES

December 31, 1965

Perfecting Tax Titles	$ 1,470.69
Preparation of Tax Maps — 1964	989.21
Industrial Commission	2,627.45
Council for the Aging	120.43
Conservation Fund — 1963	115.40
Conservation Commission — 1965	1,250.00
River Pines School — Architect's Fees, etc. — 1963	1,606.89
River Pines School - Land Taking Expenses — 1963	2,997.00
River Pines School Construction — 1963	60,539.91
East Billerica School — Borings, etc. — 1963	2,146.40
East Billerica School Construction — 1964	326,582.57
Option to Purchase Land for School Site	1,000.00
Junior High School Renovations — 1964	23.10
Advertising Tax Title Lots	798.00
Employment of Engineers, etc. — Talbot Mills, etc.	1,321.27
Planning Board Expenses — 1963	450.00
Planning Board — Expenses of Appealing Board of Appeals Decisions	500.00
Chapter 90 Construction — 1961	1,017.20
Chapter 90 Construction — 1965	13,509.55
Water Extensions — 1956	15.42
Water Extensions — 1964	66.73
Water Extensions — 1965	38,888.97
Fordway Bridge and Bridge Street Repairs	20,249.76
Unpaid Bills — 1964	60.95
Shade Trees — 1964	62.57
Shade Trees, etc. — 1965	24.08
Printing By-Laws — 1964	200.00
New Police Station	10.66
Assessors Expenses — 1965	600.00
New Police Officers — 1965	1,402.29
Life Preservers for Police Cruisers	45.00
New Fire Engine	31,000.00
Fire Department — Heavy Duty Truck	279.00
Fire Department — Pump	224.46
New Fire Station	74,218.53
Garbage Contract	9,100.00
Nuttings Lake Algae Control — 1965	150.00
Public Works Department — Dump Truck	426.50
Sidewalk — Andover Road to Carline Drive	10,000.00
Sidewalk — Baldwin Road to Bellflower Road	7,500.00
Drainage — Hillside Road	175.97
Training Program	150.00
Land for Pumping Station	50.00
Two Sander Bodies	5,498.49
Regional Vocational School Planning Committee Exp.	689.77

Cemetery — Expansion of Facilities — 1965	67.25
M.B.T.A. Charges	1,000.00
Band Concerts	72.00
Washington Street Damages	250.00
Sewerage System and Sewage Treatment Plant Construction	1,799,887.75
TOTAL	$2,421,431.22

STATEMENT OF DEBT ACCOUNTS

December 31, 1965

Amount to be Provided in Future Years for Principal Payments	$5,901,000.00

Serial Loans:	
Street, Sewer and Police Station Bonds	$ 60,000.00
Ditson School Addition	60,000.00
Standpipe Construction	16,000.00
Parker Elementary School	245,000.00
Water Loan — 1954 — Filtration Plant	118,000.00
Water Loan — 1953	290,000.00
Water Mains Extensions — 1954	40,000.00
Memorial High School	945,000.00
Vining School	302,000.00
Water Mains Extensions — 1956	100,000.00
Howe Junior High School Addition	160,000.00
Treble Cove School Loan	615,000.00
East Billerica School	1,065,000.00
Sewerage System	1,800,000.00
Fire Station	85,000.00
TOTAL LOANS PAYABLE	$5,901,000.00

NOTE: The above figure do not include a loan, authorized but unissued, in the amount of $2,600,000.00 for a new Junior High School.

BALANCE SHEET — TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1965

ASSETS

Cash and Securities	$273,955.19

FUND BALANCES

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:		
North Cemetery	$ 25,085.00	
Fox Hill Cemetery	54,915.00	
South Cemetery	3,745.00	
Old Hill Cemetery	550.00	$ 84,295.00
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts		4,578.17
Cemetery — General Care Funds:		
Faulkner Cemetery Fund — North	$ 2,247.21	
Gray Cemetery Fund — Fox Hill	1,373.40	
Thompson Cemetery Fund — Fox Hill	1,909.31	5,529.92
Abbott Singing Fund		2,134.26
Bowers and Stearns Charity Fund		40,089.33
Common Seat Fund		280.18
Haynes — Jenkins Drinking Fountain Fund		119.86
Charles H. Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund		10,552.48
Watering Trough Fund		156.78
Winthrop Faulkner Library Fund		1,000.00
Zadok Howe Fund		33,987.87
Spaulding Fund		7,964.39
Stearns Fund		1,036.77
Faulkner Fund		2,294.63
Kent Fund		1,667.18
Rogers Fund		84.19
French School Fund		6,253.11
Workmen's Compensation Fund		12,347.02
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund		4,256.22
Stabilization Fund		53,641.95
Elliot Fund		1,685.88
TOTAL		$273,955.19

DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

December 31, 1965

Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments Not Due		$ 54,889.81
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments Revenue		
	Due in 1966	$ 4,426.88
	Due in 1967	4,120.98
	Due in 1968	3,758.99
	Due in 1969	3,635.04
	Due in 1970	3,634.99
	Due in 1971	3,585.44
	Due in 1972	3,414.65
	Due in 1973	3,145.24
	Due in 1974	2,995.74
	Due in 1975	2,986.49
	Due in 1976	2,968.49
	Due in 1977	2,946.49
	Due in 1978	2,848.99
	Due in 1979	2,831.99
	Due in 1980	2,831.99
	Due in 1981	2,831.99
	Due in 1982	1,925.43
TOTAL		$ 54,889.81

TRUST FUND ASSETS

December 31, 1965

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:

Bank of Deposit	North	Fox Hill	South	Old Hill	Total
First Fed. Savings & Loan Assoc.	$ 550.00	$ 2,425.00			$ 2,975.00
Lowell Institution for Savings	2,350.00	950.00		$ 375.00	3,675.00
Central Savings Bank	8,125.00	19,275.00	1,095.00		28,495.00
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	9,435.00	26,515.00	2,350.00	75.00	38,375.00
Lowell Cooperative Bank	350.00	1,650.00	200.00		2,200.00
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	4,275.00	4,100.00	100.00	100.00	8,575.00
TOTAL	$25,085.00	$54,915.00	$ 3,745.00	$ 550.00	$84,295.00

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts:

Central Savings Bank		$ 2,779.34	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		516.70	
Lowell Institution for Savings		967.36	
First Federal Savings and Loan Association		314.77	4,578.17

Cemetery — General Care Funds:

Faulkner Fund —			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		2,247.21	
Gray Fund —			
Lowell Institution for Savings		1,373.40	
Thompson Fund			
Mdsx. County National Bank	$ 1,355.20		
Lowell Five Cents Sav. Bank	554.11	1,909.31	5,529.92
Abbott Singing Fund —			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank			2,134.26
Bowers and Stearns Charity Fund:			
Middlesex County National Bank		$ 3,300.54	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		22,863.67	
Central Savings Bank		7,505.36	
Lowell Institution for Savings		6,419.76	40,089.33
Common Seat Fund — Central Savings Bank			280.18
Haynes - Jenkins Drinking Fountain Fund:			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank			119.86
Charles H. Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund:			
Lowell Institution for Savings		$ 190.17	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		1,362.31	

United States Treasury Bond	2,000.00	
Central Savings Bank	7,000.00	10,552.48
Watering Trough Fund — Central Sav. Bank		156.78
Winthrop Faulkner Library Fund —		
Central Savings Bank		1,000.00
Workmen's Compensation Fund:		
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	$ 330.92	
First Bank and Trust Company	12,016.10	12,347.02
Stabilization Fund:		
Central Savings Bank	$ 3,641.95	
Arlington Trust Company —		
Certificate of Deposit	50,000.00	53,641.95
Elliot Fund — Lowell Five Cents Sav. Bank		1,685.88
Funds with Assets in Hands of Trustees:		
Zadok Howe Fund	$ 33,987.87	
Spaulding Fund	7,964.39	
Stearns Fund	1,036.77	
Faulkner Fund	2,294.63	
Kent Fund	1,667.18	
Rogers Fund	84.19	
French Fund	6,253.11	
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund	4,256.22	57,544.36
TOTAL TRUST FUND ASSETS		$273,955.19

ANALYSIS OF TRUST FUNDS

Year Ended December 31, 1965

	Balance Jan. 1, '65	New Funds 1965	Income 1965	Withdrawals 1965	Balance Dec. 31, '65
Cemetery -- Perpetual Care --- Principal Accounts:					
North Cemetery	$ 24,560.00	$ 525.00			$ 25,085.00
Fox Hill Cemetery	51,195.00	3,720.00			54,915.00
South Cemetery	3,745.00				3,745.00
Old Hill Cemetery	550.00				550.00
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts	3,984.45		$ 3,275.96	$ 2,682.24	4,578.17
Cemetery — General Care Funds:					
Faulkner Cemetery Fund	2,154.69		92.52		2,247.21
Gray Cemetery Fund	1,923.84		75.70	626.14	1,373.40
Thompson Cemetery Fund	1,848.24		61.07		1,909.31
Abbott Singing Fund	2,046.39		87.87		2,134.26
Bowers and Stearns Fund	38,463.92		1,625.41		40,089.33
Common Seat Fund	268.32		11.86		280.18
Haynes - Jenkins Fund	114.95		4.91		119.86
Charles Kohlrausch, Jr. Playground Fund	10,489.04		63.44		10,552.48
Watering Trough Fund	150.15		6.63		156.78
Winthrop Faulkner Fund -- Library	1,000.00		44.22	44.22	1,000.00
Zadok Howe Fund	34,017.75		2,268.13	2,298.01	33,987.87
Spaulding Fund	7,963.99		365.52	365.12	7,964.39
Stearns Fund	1,061.97		124.39	149.59	1,036.77
Faulkner Fund	2,250.02		159.16	114.55	2,294.63
Kent Fund	1,972.91		244.67	550.40	1,667.18
Rogers Fund	82.44		3.11	1.36	84.19
French Fund	6,066.51		186.60		6,253.11

Workmen's Compensation Fund	11,923.69		423.33		12,347.02
Stabilization Fund	3,487.73	50,000.00	154.22		53,641.95
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund	3,776.65		479.57		4,256.22
Elliot Fund	1,616.48		69.40		1,685.88
TOTAL	$216,714.13	$ 54,245.00	$ 9,827.69	$ 6,831.63	$273,955.19

SCHEDULE OF FUTURE PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS ON TOWN DEBT*

As of December 31, 1965

Payable in	Jr. High School Addition	Standpipe Construct.	Water Works Loan	Water Mains 1954	Filtration Plant	Water Mains 1956	Ditson School Addition	Parker School
1966	$ 80,000.00	$ 4,000.00	$ 30,000.00	$ 10,000.00	$ 15,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 35,000.00
1967	80,000.00	4,000.00	30,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	35,000.00
1968		4,000.00	30,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	35,000.00
1969		4,000.00	30,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00		35,000.00
1970			30,000.00		15,000.00	20,000.00		35,000.00
1971			30,000.00		15,000.00			35,000.00
1972			30,000.00		10,000.00			35,000.00
1973			30,000.00		10,000.00			
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	$ 160,000.00	$ 16,000.00	$ 290,000.00	$ 40,000.00	$ 118,000.00	$ 100,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 245,000.00

Payable in	High School	Lake School	Building Bonds	Cove School	Billerica School	Sewer Construction	Fire Station	TOTAL
1966	$ 105,000.00	$ 35,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 35,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 549,000.00
1967	105,000.00	32,000.00	20,000.00	35,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	20,000.00	546,000.00
1968	105,000.00	30,000.00	20,000.00	35,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	459,000.00
1969	105,000.00	30,000.00		35,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	419,000.00
1970	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	395,000.00
1971	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		360,000.00
1972	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		355,000.00
1973	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		320,000.00
1974	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		298,000.00
1975		25,000.00		30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		180,000.00
1976		25,000.00		30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		180,000.00
1977				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		155,000.00
1978				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		155,000.00
1979				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1980				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1981				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1982				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1983				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1984				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1985						60,000.00		60,000.00
1986						60,000.00		60,000.00
1987						60,000.00		60,000.00
1988						60,000.00		60,000.00
1989						60,000.00		60,000.00
1990						60,000.00		60,000.00
1991						60,000.00		60,000.00
1992						60,000.00		60,000.00
1993						60,000.00		60,000.00
1994						60,000.00		60,000.00
1995						60,000.00		60,000.00
	$ 945,000.00	$ 302,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 615,000.00	$1,065,000.00	$1,800,000.00	$ 85,000.00	$5,901,000.00

*Not including new Junior High School Loan, authorized but unissued, in the amount of $2,600,000.00.

SCHEDULE OF FUTURE INTEREST PAYMENTS ON TOWN DEBT*

As of December 31, 1965

Payable in	Jr. High School Addition	Standpipe Construct.	Water Works Loan	Water Mains 1954	Filtration Plant	Water Mains 1956	Ditson School Addition	Parker School
1966	$ 2,700.00	$ 280.00	$ 8,250.00	$ 840.00	$ 2,655.00	$ 3,100.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 5,880.00
1967	900.00	210.00	7,350.00	630.00	2,317.50	2,480.00	600.00	5,040.00
1968		140.00	6,450.00	420.00	1,980.00	1,860.00	200.00	4,200.00
1969		70.00	5,550.00	210.00	1,642.50	1,240.00		3,360.00
1970			4,650.00		1,305.00	620.00		2,520.00
1971			3,750.00		967.50			1,680.00
1972			2,850.00		630.00			840.00
1973			1,950.00		405.00			
1974			1,350.00		180.00			
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	$ 3,600.00	$ 700.00	$ 44,550.00	$ 2,100.00	$ 12,082.50	$ 9,300.00	$ 1,800.00	$ 23,520.00

Payable in	High School	Lake School	Building Bonds	Cove School	Dimeria School	Sewer Construction	Fire Station	TOTAL
1966	$ 21,420.00	$ 7,823.75	$ 2,040.00	$ 19,120.00	$ 35,145.00	$ 61,200.00	$ 2,890.00	$ 174,343.75
1967	18,900.00	6,902.50	1,360.00	18,000.00	33,165.00	59,160.00	2,210.00	159,225.00
1968	16,380.00	6,050.00	680.00	16,880.00	31,185.00	57,120.00	1,530.00	145,075.00
1969	13,860.00	5,225.00		15,760.00	29,205.00	55,080.00	1,020.00	132,222.50
1970	11,340.00	4,468.75		14,640.00	27,225.00	53,040.00	510.00	120,318.75
1971	8,820.00	3,781.25		13,520.00	25,410.00	51,000.00		108,928.75
1972	6,300.00	3,093.75		12,400.00	23,595.00	48,960.00		98,668.75
1973	3,780.00	2,406.25		11,280.00	21,780.00	46,920.00		88,521.25
1974	1,260.00	1,718.75		10,160.00	19,965.00	44,880.00		79,513.75
1975		1,031.25		9,120.00	18,150.00	42,840.00		72,191.25
1976		343.75		8,160.00	16,335.00	40,800.00		66,388.75
1977				7,200.00	14,520.00	38,760.00		60,930.00
1978				6,240.00	12,705.00	36,720.00		55,815.00
1979				5,280.00	10,890.00	34,680.00		50,850.00
1980				4,320.00	9,075.00	32,640.00		46,035.00
1981				3,360.00	7,260.00	30,600.00		41,220.00
1982				2,400.00	5,445.00	28,560.00		36,405.00
1983				1,440.00	3,630.00	26,520.00		31,590.00
1984				480.00	1,815.00	24,480.00		26,775.00
1985						22,440.00		22,440.00
1986						20,400.00		20,400.00
1987						18,360.00		18,360.00
1988						16,320.00		16,320.00
1989						14,280.00		14,280.00
1990						12,240.00		12,240.00
1991						10,200.00		10,200.00
1992						8,160.00		8,160.00
1993						6,120.00		6,120.00
1994						4,080.00		4,080.00
1995						2,040.00		2,040.00
	$ 102,060.00	$ 42,845.00	$ 4,080.00	$ 179,760.00	$ 346,500.00	$ 948,600.00	$ 8,160.00	$1,729,657.50

*Not including new Junior High School Loan, authorized but unissued, in the amount of $2,600,000.00.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

During the year ending December 31, 1965 the Board of Appeals held forty-eight (48) hearings on Appeals.

Decisions were rendered by the Board on all hearings and the copies of all decisions have been filed in the Office of the Town Clerk as required by law.

One thousand ($1,000.00) dollars in fees were collected from the appellants to cover the cost of advertising and postage for the hearings, and the monies have been turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Several hearings on Part 1, Section 5, of the Building Code and Regulations entitled "Relief from the By-Law" were heard by the Board, and decisions were posted in the office of the Building Inspector as required and copies filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH H. JOHNSON
Chairman

Annual Report

of the

School Committee

of the

Town of Billerica

For the Year Ending December 31

1965

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Robert F. Loranger, Chairman ..... Term Expires 1966
Kenneth L. Buffum, Vice Chairman ..... Term Expires 1966
John T. Glavin, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1967
Irving Folk ..... Term Expires 1968
Paul J. Heffernan ..... Term Expires 1968

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Frederick C. Riel ..... Telephone 663-4714
Office: Administration Building ..... Telephone 667-9811
390 Boston Road 663-4612

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

William H. Flaherty, Jr. ..... Telephone 933-4157
Office: Administration Building ..... Telephone 667-9811
390 Boston Road 663-4612

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

F. Lester Shaughnessey ..... Telephone 663-2767
Office: Memorial High School ..... Telephone 663-4274

CALENDAR FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1965-66

Wednesday, September 8 ..... Schools open
Friday, October 8 - Teachers' Convention ..... Schools closed
Tuesday, October 12 - Columbus Day ..... Schools closed
Thursday, November 11 - Veterans' Day ..... Schools closed
Wednesday, November 24 ..... Schools close at noon
Thursday, November 25 ..... Schools closed
Friday, November 26 ..... Schools closed
Thursday, December 23 ..... Schools close at noon
Monday, January 3 ..... Schools reopen
Friday, February 18 ..... Schools close
Monday, February 28 ..... Schools reopen
Friday, April 8 - Good Friday ..... Schools closed
Friday, April 15 ..... Schools close
Monday, April 25 ..... Schools reopen
Monday, May 30 - Memorial Day ..... Schools closed
Friday, June 24 ..... Schools close

SCHOOL CENSUS

(5-16 years) October 1, 1965
Not including pupils over 15 years of age

	Boys	Girls	Total
Number of children 5 or 6 years	569	496	1065
Number of children 7-15 years	2532	2379	4911
TOTALS	3101	2875	5976

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

No School Signal:

When it is necessary to close schools because of travel conditions, five radio stations WHDH, WBZ, WLLH, WCAP and WNAC — will make no school announcements starting at 6:00 a.m. or as near to that time as possible. The following telephone numbers may be called after 6:30 a.m. — 663-2065 or 663-4274.

Ordinarily, schools will be closed only when travel conditions make it dangerous for pupils to ride on school busses. In the event of a cold, driving rain or other extreme conditions, the parent may need to exercise judgment where the health of the child is involved because of distance, necessity of waiting in an exposed area for a bus, type of clothing worn, or other factors.

Because of emergencies, pupils are sometimes sent home early from schools. Parents should make arrangements with friends or neighbors to take care of the children when they come home.

Entrance Age:

For admission to the first grade in September 1966, a child must have been born on or before January 1, 1961. A birth certificate is required of all pupils unless their parents were residents of Billerica at the time of the children's births. Children entering the first grade will be admitted only during the month of September.

Every child entering the schools in any grade must present a certificate of successful vaccination, or a certificate of exemption, from a registered physician.

Employment Certificates:

Employment certificates (working cards) are issued at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Administration Building; Principals Office, Memorial High School; Principal's Office, Howe Junior High School. Applications must be made in person and a birth or baptismal certificate must be presented.

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE (As of October 1, 1965)

Grade		AGES 5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Total	
Spec.	B			5	3	5	3	3	8	8	4	5	3				47	
	G			2	2	4	7	2	1				1			1	20	67
1	B	109	322	28	3												462	
	G	73	295	20	1												389	851
2	B		70	266	64	7											407	
	G		57	243	26	1											327	734
3	B			59	234	51	7	1									352	
	G			58	245	24	4	0									331	683
4	B				52	205	37	10	2								306	
	G				65	233	20	4	0								322	628
5	B					52	170	47	11	1							281	
	G					56	189	20	1	0							266	547
6	B						48	164	52	11							275	
	G						52	176	27	8							263	538
7	B							45	155	54	13	5					272	
	G							51	151	21	4	0					227	499
8	B								40	137	45	9	1				232	
	G								37	150	17	11	1				216	448
9	B									28	128	66	27	3	1	1	254	
	G								1	35	121	37	14	1	0	0	209	463
10	B										28	73	34	8	5	1	149	
	G										44	87	26	8	1	0	166	315
11	B											20	81	27	5	2	135	
	G											48	93	21	3	0	165	300
12	B												32	62	31	9	134	
	G												61	96	10	4	171	305
	B	109	392	358	356	320	265	270	268	239	218	178	178	100	42	13	3306	
	G	73	352	323	339	318	272	253	218	214	186	183	196	126	14	5	3072	
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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Billerica:

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my eighth annual report as Superintendent of Schools in the Town of Billerica.

Good schools do not thrive in an atmosphere of petty bickering, confusion and fear. The provision of quality education that releases the potential of all the children requires the dedicated involvement of all groups in the community. It calls for leadership. It calls for people to work together in good faith as citizens, school committee members and teachers.

Education is indispensable to the building and the perfection of the free society that shelters and perfects the freedom of the people. Education's importance to the whole of the American dream establishes its absolute claim to a top priority in our concern.

Since we want to educate each single individual to realize his fullest potential, education must be highly diverse. Equality of individual opportunity is not served but is destroyed if we give everyone the same education. A single standard of education discriminates against all the students whose talents are not adapted to that standard. Talent takes many different forms. We need to develop all the varied types of talent that our students possess.

The school curriculum, in turn, must be of a flexibility and a richness that fit and further all the student abilities that have been found.

Meanwhile, the pursuit of excellence is as vital at the pursuit of diversity. This requires that in whatever form and at whatever stage talent is being trained that training must be the best possible.

The pursuit of excellence places exacting demands on our teachers. It places exacting demands on the whole community as well. It is hard to have good schools in a bad community. If the community exalts money above merit, everybody suffers. If the the community exalts public gain above service, education is hurt. If the community prizes the cheap and quick above the honorable and lasting, education is wounded. The standards of the community profoundly influence the standards that the school can set.

The citizens must maintain control over the schools at the local level. To keep local control, the localities need better school organization and must be able to bear their share of the cost of education.

Improved local school organization needs to be supported by improved local financing. The state and federal government must also make greater contributions to education. The rising enrollments, more diversi-

fied school programs, the need for higher teacher salaries, and rising general costs require more resources.

We need new sources of revenue. Property taxes have supplied the large part of the local resources for education. Further substantial increases in the local property tax would hurt the area as a whole. Therefore, the state **must** make available to the local community other tax sources than real estate.

In closing I should like to thank all the teachers and other school personnel, the parents, the School Committee, the boys and girls themselves, the press, and so many of the townspeople who have helped us during the past year. The members of my family and I continue to appreciate the graciousness of this community and this school system.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK C. RIEL
Superintendent of Schools

BILLERICA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Enrollment — October 1, 1965

Grades	High	Jr. High	Kennedy	Parker	Pollard	Ditson	Talbot	Dutile	Vining	J. H. Elem.	Totals
12	305										305
11	300										300
10	315										315
9	463										463
8		448									448
7		499									499
6					92	72		92	87	195	538
5			88	72	130	100		69	88		547
4			127	158	62	98	25	95	63		628
3			118	135		121	115	98	96		683
2			139	139		129	132	100	95		734
1			153	170		136	139	130	123		851
Sp. Cl.		67									67
Totals	1383	1014	625	674	284	656	411	584	552	195	6378

Recapitulation	1964	1965
High School	1351	1383
Junior High	909	1014
Elementary	3668	3981
Total	5928	6378

RESIGNATIONS

Barbara L. Arey
Janice E. Biller
Phyllis Brick
Kathleen Collins
Robert E. Couture
Gail Crane
Angelo DeBenedictis
Patricia Doucet
J. Robert Evans
Karen Gedrich
Margaret Kidder
Nathalie S. King
Katherine LaMontagne
Richard W. Lavie
Frank J. Luciano, Jr.
Judith A. Madden
Ralph Mahairas
Nora McLaughlin
Antoinette McNeal
Philip J. McPhee
James F. Moir
Bernadette C. Murphy
Helena B. Murphy
Francis A. Newman
Nancy J. Porteus
Paul V. Sulda
Judith E. Teehan
Vicki O. Waldron

Reasons for Resignations

14 - Another Position
5 - Maternity
2 - Another Field
2 - Overseas Teaching
1 - Private Business
1 - Appointed to State Department of Education
1 - Armed Forces
1 - Moved Out of State
1 - Illness

APPOINTMENTS

Mitchell L. Afrow
Grace Beaton
James F. Buckley
Mary Ann Caldicott
Joseph D. Cashtan
Anita M. Ciarfella
Thomas F. Connor
Roberta M. DeGrinney
James F. DeVellis
Martha Dunn
Domenica A. Fiumara
G. David Flanagan
William J. Flynn
Ernest L. Freeman
Angela Gianourakos
Linda A. Gilfillan
Pamela B. Giller
Howard R. Goodrow
Ruth A. Gordon
Barbara K. Gray
Geraldine M. Greene
Roland H. Guthrie, Jr.
David L. Halpin
Barbara A. Hehir
Anne Hennessey
Carl G. Jahnle
Harriet M. Keefe
Albert C. Lefebvre
Dennis N. Marino
Janice G. McCoy
Louise M. McDonald
Phyllis M. Meltz
Paula J. Merriman
Rodney J. Morin
Priscilla A. Morrison
Barbara A. Ohanian
Beverly Ann Ohanian
Kathleen D. Olson
Elaine M. Osborn
Geraldine A. Penney
Gerard A. Perry
Denise P. Ranere
Diana B. Rizzo
Ruth Ann Rose
Philip A. Sartorelli
Maureen C. Shanahan
Thomas J. Sheehan
Pamela L. Sheldon
Barbara A. Sides
Shirley A. Smith
Douglas N. Taylor
Suzanne M. Trevors
Paula M. Tuck
Herbert L. Vrettos
Nancy Weston
Darleen P. Williams
Mary Jean Wilson

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

James F. Fournier, Jr.

BILLERICA MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

Atmosphere constantly changes and reshapes the earth's surface, never remaining static nor immobile. Education in Billerica Memorial High School during the year 1965 in all its aspects had somewhat the same impact as the atmospheric reactions on the geography of the world. Academics, advancement, and accomplishment are the keynotes of this report.

The Modern Language Department inaugurated the Audio Lingual Materials for instructional aid so that the language laboratory could be used to capacity. French and Spanish were the areas deemed most feasible for this modern approach to traditional subjects. This does not indicate, however, in any way that the complete traditional treatment of the languages will be omitted or ignored. It signals an excellent supplementary tool to enhance an already functional program. German 2 and Biology 2 were popular choices of students this year, both having been offered for the first time; the one to accommodate the students who had completed German 1, the other to satisfy those students who desired to pursue nurses' training or become medical or dental technicians. Consumer mathematics was introduced to offer a third year of mathematics to the general course student. The Mathematics Department has by stint of great effort and voluminous research prepared a curriculum for the completion of an honors program for grades 9 through 12, the first class of this special group being in the 11th grade as of the school year 1965-1966. Through this revision the program has been telescoped to include calculus in grade 12 so that students from Billerica Memorial High School can qualify for the Advanced College Placement program. English curriculum guides are still in the process of revision with much to be done in the way of long range planning for the college preparatory groups. Conversely an evaluation is being conducted of the English program in the general course area with the objective of relating the material more directly to the experience of the terminal pupil. Social Studies' teachers are laboring extensively to formulate a programmed learning syllabus for non academic students, one that challenges the ability of the student; yet teaches the basic fundamental principles of the various major civilizations coupled with the traditions and ideals inherent in the American dream and its reality. Science is ever increasing in its basic fund of knowledge. It is constantly in a state of turmoil. Maintaining a middle-of-the-road philosophy, especially in the college preparatory sciences, the teachers of the Science Department have combined the modern and traditional methods of instruction in just the right proportion to gain a true balance between the extremes in scientific pedagogy. The honors program has been widened in its scope and range and further studies are being initiated to offer increased opportunities to

the more gifted students in science. Traditionally, Billerica Memorial High School's Business Department is among the best in the state, and this reputation is being enhanced every year. New equipment has been added, electric typewriters on a wider scale have been introduced, thus all allied areas involving the concentrated use of machines have been enriched. Greater selectivity of students, more proficiency in grouping, and continued teacher dedication to the standards of basic instructional techniques and performance have produced even superior results to an already respected program. Such special subjects as Developmental Reading, Driver Education, Automotive Shop, Woodworking, Machine Shop, Mechanical Drawing, Art, Chorus and Band, and Household Arts have all increased their enrollment, and the instructors have devised new techniques, and fostered basic learning within the confinement of the physical area now within their allotment. Mechanical Drawing has increased to four classes; Driver Education, to over three hundred students; Chorus, to one hundred and fifty; Band, to over fifty members; Industrial Arts, to the maximum capacity of the accommodations of the room areas; and Household Arts, to not only those girls who specialize but to also those who desire it as a supplementary subject. The Physical Education program with Mr. Gracie, the Head of the Department, having been a member of the Massachusetts Department of Education Physical Education Curriculum Committee is one of the finest in the suburban area for both boys and girls. A complete testing program is utilized for boys and girls to measure the positive results of the program with special emphasis being exerted to correct the problems of those students with physical deficiencies. The Guidance Department has increased its multiplicity of services by being available to all students of the school on an advisory and emergency basis. Not only does it offer the most efficient service to those students who are making application for admission to college, but it also disburses information about all other fields of student concern both within and outside of the school. In addition a special teacher is available at all times to aid and assist students with special difficulties or questions involving school, proposed career, or formulating a program of studies. To crown an otherwise glorious year the five year progress report submitted to the New England Association of Colleges and Seconday Schools was accepted. This re-emphasizes the excellence of Billerica Memorial High School and its accreditation as a high school of quality and prominence throughout New England.

Physically the school facilities have been enlarged by the addition of two rooms derived from the Superintendent's suite which has been relocated in the Old Howe School on Boston Road. The classroom formerly utilized by the Trainable Class has also been replanned and altered for use as a modern language teaching station. By adding these rooms the Language Department has been completely relocated adjacent to the core area; namely, the Language Laboratory. Many other areas within the present physical confines of the school are being re-evaluated, restudied, and reconsidered for a variety of types of teaching stations to improve and enhance the teaching and instructional aids available for the edification and enlightenment of the student body as a whole.

Accomplishments, advancements, and academics saturate this report. The appetite of the public, however, nor of the teachers and the administration are never completely surfeited by the services and advantages offered by any education. The opportunities remain unlimited; intellectual and educational resources, untapped; and the complex picture in its entirety, unexplored. Improvement is paramount. Change is necessary. Information is unlimited. The dispensation of these ingredients for the edification and enlightenment of the entire student body with every motivational implement is the constant concern of all educators. Billerica is not unique in this attitude, but at this writing is endeavoring to be a leader in categorizing and cataloging the information that meets the educational needs of its students most effectively. Education is liberty, the privilege of each and every individual to use its advantages for the benefit of all. Billerica Memorial High School is striving for that infinitesimal goal of perfection — education for the many with effective emphasis on the individual and his needs.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER D. INGRAHAM
Principal

HOWE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The renovating process at the Howe Junior High School is proceeding very well. Formerly the nurse's office was on the second floor of the old building and the Guidance Offices on the top floor of the new addition. The arrangement is very convenient. The nurse's office is on the left as you enter the front door. The reception room and secretarial office is on the right with the Administrators' Offices adjacent and Guidance Offices adjacent to the Administrative Offices.

Part of the original building has been repainted. Fluorescent lighting has been installed in all classrooms. The grounds have been landscaped and the parking area hot topped.

New Material: A weather station has been installed. A kiln purchased for the Art Department. Several new sewing machines for the Home Economics Department. Fifteen cases of books for the library. A self-threading 16 MM projector, an overhead projector, a combined film strip and slide projector and two sets of film strips dealing with Earth Science in the Audio-Visual area.

Before the close of school in June a librarian will doubtless be added to the staff. In September a full time developmental reading teacher will join our faculty.

Latin is now available to grade eight pupils. French will become part of our curriculum in September for grades seven and eight.

Several pupils could not attend regular classes. Accordingly, a telephone hook-up between home and classrooms were installed. The pupils thereby could participate in classroom discussion.

The Howe Junior High School has forty members on its staff and an enrollment of nine hundred twenty-eight pupils. In the building are five special classrooms with an enrollment of sixty-five. There are six sixth grade classrooms in the building with an enrollment of one hundred ninety-eight.

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL S. ADAMS
Principal

PARKER SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The annual report for the Parker School is herein submitted.

Once again the Parker School began a school year under double session programming while awaiting the completion of another of Billerica's Elementary Schools.

This year's enrollment was composed of center area children in the first three grades, the children of Fox Hill and surrounding areas of five grades as well as those who live along Boston Road and side roads from the Bear Hill area to the Center area. Added to these groups normally housed at the Parker, a large group of children from Rio Vista and other parts of West Billerica to South Billerica line were transferred here from the Vining School. A large group of fourth grade students were moved here from the Talbot; and children living along Allen Road and its many side roads were sent here to alleviate overcrowding at the Ditson School.

To the parents of all these children we should be, and we are indeed, appreciative of their wonderful spirit of cooperation here at the Parker School. Most parents have availed themselves of all opportunities to communicate with us, heart and soul, to effect healthy scholastic relationships concerning their own ones. This has been possible by phone, by personal visits, by open house night, and by your "Parent of the Week" innovations.

The obligatory services to our children under platooning are generously shared by all fellow workers to whom I acknowledge my appreciation during these trying years for everyone.

Our total enrollment this school year was 696 children in September and 674 children at the end of December. Over 70 new children entered during this period and more than 90 children left our town.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. GILL
Principal

CENTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report for the Center Elementary Schools for the year 1965.

Pollard School

The enrollment as of December 1965 is as follows:

Grade	Pupils	No of Classrooms	Ave. No. of Pupils per room
4	62	2	31.0
5	130	4	32.5
6	92	3	30.6
Total	284	9	31.5

76% of the 284 students are transported by bus from North Billerica and East Billerica. 68 students, representing 24% of the enrollment are walkers from the Center area.

At the present time, the fourth and fifth grades are on double sessions with morning and afternoon sessions rotating every two months. This will terminate when the John F. Kennedy School opens in East Billerica. We now house 92 East Billerica students in three sixth grade classrooms who will attend the new school.

There were several changes in our teaching staff this year. Miss Trevors (Gr. 4), Miss Gordon (Gr. 4), Mrs. Williams (Gr. 5), and Mr. Marino (Gr. 6) have joined the faculty. Miss Finnegan and Mrs. Savitz (Gr. 6) transferred from the Howe Junior High Elementary Section.

Howe Junior High Elementary Section

The enrollment as of December 1965 is as follows:

Grade	Pupils	No of Classrooms	Ave. No. of Pupils per room
6	195	6	32.5

83% of the 195 students are transported by bus from North Billerica, Pinehurst, and West Billerica. 35 students representing 17% of the enrollment are walkers from the Center area.

In September the average number of pupils per room was 39. Another class was soon formed and a new teacher was hired in order to reduce the number. This position was filled by Miss Wold. As shown by the figures above, the average number of pupils per room is now 32.5.

Mr. Afrow filled a vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. McLaughlin who resigned because of maternity reasons.

Mr. Taylor joined the faculty in September.

We are most indebted to the Junior High Administration and personnel for their wonderful assistance and cooperation which they afforded us this year.

It is with utmost sincerity that I thank the school and town officials, the faculty, and the non-teaching personnel for their assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCIS X. CALLAHAN
Principal

JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I herewith submit my report for the John F. Kennedy School for the year 1965.

Although the Kennedy School building is not yet ready for occupancy, the student body and faculty of Grades 1-5 have been attending one of the double sessions at the Parker School since September. Three classes of sixth graders from the area to be serviced by the Kennedy School are currently housed at the Pollard School.

Enrollment figures for the first five grades as of October follow:

Grade 1	160 students	5 classes
Grade 2	138 students	5 classes
Grade 3	116 students	4 classes
Grade 4	127 students	4 classes
Grade 5	90 students	3 classes
	631	21

The three sixth grades will complete the membership for the new twenty-four classroom school. In addition to the classrooms, facilities have also been provided to include a library and remedial room.

With the increase in enrollment, the following teachers have joined the faculty; Mary Caldicott, Domenica Fiumara, Angela Gianourakos, Barbara Gray, Louise McDonald, Phyllis Meltz, Priscilla Morrison, Kathleen Olson, Denise Ranere, Ruth Rose, Pamela Sheldon, and Mary Jane Wilson.

Under present conditions, 100% of the students are transported.

With the new year, we look forward to the opening of the John F. Kennedy School and are planning a Spring Musical to follow Open House, which will be the first public activity in the school.

We are deeply grateful for the understanding, patience, and cooperation of the parents, the school administration, and the Parker School faculty during the period of double sessions.

It is hoped that the inconveniences necessitated by the unavoidable situation will be soon alleviated, and that the complexities accompanying such arrangements will be dissolved in the immediate future when the John F. Kennedy School is completed.

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERINE L. TORRE
Principal

FREDERICK J. DUTILE SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The following is a report of our first year in the Frederick J. Dutile School.

Our total enrollment on September 8, 1965 was 609 pupils. They were divided into our six grades as follows:

Grade 1	139 in 4 classrooms
Grade 2	117 in 3 classrooms
Grade 3	98 in 3 classrooms
Grade 4	94 in 3 classrooms
Grade 5	69 in 2 classrooms
Grade 6	92 in 3 classrooms

Most of our school children are within walking distance of the school. However, one bus accommodates our riders from the Nashua-Rangeway Roads area, numbering 69 children. Because our second grades were 39 pupils to a room, 13 of the second grade bus children were transferred to the Talbot School to equalize class numbers.

There have been three changes on our faculty. Miss Rabinowitz came to one of our second grades from the Vining School replacing Mrs. Miller, who is now teaching remedial reading. Mr. Sicari came to us from the Old Howe Elementary to take Mrs. Lind's fifth grade. Mrs. Lind has joined the faculty of the new John F. Kennedy School. We needed only two fifth grade classrooms causing Mr. Nazarian's transfer to the Pollard School. We added a fourth first grade now being taught by Mrs. Giller, who came to our school system from Connecticut.

We are changing classrooms for reading and arithmetic in the sixth grades allowing for greater span of ability grouping. We can see a rapid and marked improvement in the children's growth in these subject areas. Our new reading machines have made a tremendous contribution to this success.

Our school has been chosen to provide demonstration and actual classroom experience for Music students from the State College at Lowell. We are privileged to have Dr. William R. Fisher, Professor of Music Education at the State College, acting as clinical professor for this program.

On Thursday, October 21st, we were the host school for the Merrimack Valley Elementary School Principals' Fall Dinner Meeting.

We have had a most gratifying attendance by parents at our Open House, Parent of the Week and other school programs.

I wish to thank you, Mr. Flaherty, the School Committee, my faculty and staff for a most rewarding and happy year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH F. McCARTHY
Principal

DITSON SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report as principal of the Ditson School for the year 1965.

Enrollment at the Ditson School on December 23, 1965 was 652. The following shows the enrollment and number of classes:

Grade I	—	137 pupils in four classrooms
Grade II	—	126 pupils in four classrooms
Grade III	—	121 pupils in four classrooms
Grade IV	—	97 pupils in three classrooms
Grade V	—	100 pupils in three classrooms
Grade VI	—	71 pupils in two classrooms

We will need another first grade and also an additional fourth grade next September according to our present figures. This will mean moving our two sixth grades to the Center Schools.

Forty-one percent of the pupils are transported daily. Thirty pupils take the Public Bus.

I am very pleased to report that there has been no change in the Ditson School faculty this year. Mrs. Miller, a former teacher at the Parker School, is now a Remedial Reading Teacher for the lower grades. She comes to us daily for one hour to help in reading in grades two and three. We hope to have a full time remedial reading teacher in the near future to help in all grades.

Open House was held November 1st from seven to nine o'clock. It was a tremendous success with seventy-five percent of the parents visiting the school. All teachers, including the Art and Music teachers, were present to greet the parents and to discuss any problems that they might have with their children.

In order to set up a better relationship between home and school, a "Parent of the Week" was introduced in our schools. Parents are invited to visit school for a day, or part of a day, in their child's classroom. Approximately one hundred parents have visited our school since November 8th. These visits will continue for the rest of the school year.

All parents have been extremely pleased with their visits.

Our School Library is always open to all teachers so that they may secure books for classroom use. In addition, the Bookmobile travels to Pinehurst one day a month for the benefit of Pinehurst parents and classroom teachers.

In conclusion, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you, to Mr. Flaherty, your assistant, to the School Committee, the School Nurse, the Clerk, the Custodians, and to all members of the Faculty for their loyalty and support during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER A. MOGLIA
Principal

TALBOT SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Talbot School for the year 1965.

The following is the enrollment of October 1, 1965 as compared to that of October 1, 1964.

Grade	Pupils 1965	No. of Classrooms 1965	Pupils 1964	No. of Classrooms 1964
1	130	4	132	4
2	129	4	117	3
3	114	4	111	3
4	25	1	109	3
Total	398	13	469	13

As shown by the above chart, we have added a second and third grade due to the large number of pupils per room in 1964. Our pupils who would go to the fourth grade are now attending the Pollard School, except for 25 walkers. We also have thirteen students attending our second grades who belong in the Dutile School but are attending here due to crowded conditions. At the time of this writing, the following are the numbers of pupils transported from the various sections of the town:

Oak St. - 17 pupils; Burwick - 20 pupils; Hillcrest - 49 pupils; Pollard St. - Rogers St. - 76 pupils; Nashua Rd. - 13 pupils. This is a total of 175 pupils transported by bus to the Talbot School.

This year at the Talbot School facilities have been established for the hot lunch program. Our auditorium has been converted into a lunch room. Large, folding tables have been installed and two large steam tables are used to heat the food which is transported daily from the Parker School. All children now eat in the lunch room with a goodly number purchasing their lunches daily.

There is now movable furniture in each classroom. This year seven classrooms of furniture were purchased and installed thus completing the new, movable furniture for each room. Window shades were also purchased for each room.

All four grades of the Talbot School are now using the revised edition of Scott Foresman reading system. This reading system is supplemented by many other sets of supplementary reading books.

Once again the Talbot School was included in the student training program for the music students from State College at Lowell. Last spring three students participated here and this fall there have been five students.

The former P.T.A. presented the school with a check for $160.00. This was used as a partial payment toward the purchase of many filmstrips. Large rubber balls were also purchased for each room.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to you, the School Committee, the faculty, and all others for the fine cooperation given during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA M. TOBEY
Principal

EUGENE C. VINING SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit the report of the Eugene C. Vining School for the year 1965.

On opening day, September 8th, the enrollment was 548 pupils. This figure includes registrations as well as transfers.

Transportation is provided for 145 pupils.

Mrs. Celeste Stuart, a member of the faculty for the past five years, was appointed Assistant Principal. It is indeed a pleasure and a most rewarding experience working with Mrs. Stuart.

Curriculum:

Our curriculum is constantly being changed to keep up with the evolutionary trends in the areas of math, linguistics and social studies. We are happy to announce that modern math has been introduced into our first and second grades. At the intermediate level the fifth grades are participating in a unified discovery approach to the basic operations and their inverses. Particular emphasis is being placed on the rational numbers commonly known as fractions.

Modern math is not new math. Modern math is an attempt to (1) emphasize the "why" just as much as the "how". (2) Teach mathematics as a structure. (3) Allow pupils to discover relationships for themselves.

Linguistic and social studies committees are being organized for a 1966 revision.

The newly inaugurated "Parent of the Week" program has been most enthusiastically received. There has been an average of 12 parents visiting the various classes each week.

On February 2, 1965, Richard Bachelder, President of the NEA was guest speaker at a dinner meeting held at our school. There were thirty-seven principals of the Merrimack Valley Elementary School Principals Association in attendance. Mr. Bachelder, in his lecture, highlighted the importance of the role of the elementary principal plays, not only in the local community but on the state and national levels as well.

An operetta "Goldilocks' Adventures" was presented by the Primary Grades on April 9th. It was a most successful performance. The generosity of the parents was most gratifying.

Professor Robert E. Nye of the University of Oregon visited our school on December 9, 1965. Professor Nye was particularly pleased with the integrated unit work of the fifth grade. He observed the correlation of

the History, Geography, English; Reading, Art and Music in the unit, "The Emerging Mind of Man" and "His World of Thanks". Good teaching, an up to date curriculum, and wonderfully responsive children was his comment.

In conclusion I would like to express my real happiness in becoming a part of the school and civic life of the Town of Billerica. The assistance and cooperation that has been offered by you, your assistant, the teaching staff, the non-teaching personnel, the School Committee, and the townspeople is deeply appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

K. SHIRLEY COWDREY
Principal

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Music Department for 1965.

We are still engaged in a cooperative plan of student teaching with the State College at Lowell under the guidance of Dr. William R. Fisher, Professor of Music Education.

This year we have added a new facet to this program. As a result of the recent surveys in education by Dr. Conant and the Willis report we have adopted the idea of having the college music methods class taught here and then offer the students the experience of immediately putting into practice what they have seen. We have included Dutile, Vining, Talbot and Ditson Schools in this endeavor.

The Instrumental Department has 370 pupils involved in their program. It was necessary to add one full time and one part time instructor this year due to this increased enrollment.

We have a large High School and Jr. High School band plus ensembles and a jazz band at the High School and two choruses at each level.

Due to the increased enrollment in the elementary schools we now have three music personnel at this level.

Last year the Music Department was responsible for many musical productions at all levels.

The children were offered many opportunities to participate in various programs and festivals outside of our own school department.

The success we have met within our music program would not be possible without the full cooperation of our Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, principals, teachers and all members of the various school staffs.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. JOHNSON
Music Coordinator

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The annual report of the Guidance Department for the year 1965 is hereby submitted.

The seventh grade Howe Junior High School counselor resigned to be replaced by one of the Junior High School teachers. The Billerica Memorial High School guidance personnel consists of one junior-senior counselor, one sophomore counselor, and the director who attends the freshmen students. The Adjustment Counselor who served the elementary schools resigned in June, and a replacement has not as yet been forthcoming.

As each year passes, a larger school enrollment makes it an impossibility for the counselors to service every student. The accepted pupil ration is 300 students per counselor. At present the High School counselors interview 1384, and the Junior High School counselors see 440. Exceptional and personal problems require considerable time which affords less opportunity for the counselors to fulfill the required annual interview.

The junior-senior counselor reports that 83 students, which represent 29% of 285 graduates, are continuing their education. Others are also being considered for college, junior college and nurses training.

During the year of 1965 a concerted effort has been made by the Guidance Department to attend extended conferences to exchange ideas with other systems, to seek new techniques and methods which could prove beneficial to our pupil personnel. Some of the conferences attended are as follows:

Merrimack Valley Guidance Association, Western Electric, North Anvover, Mass.; Career Conference, Lasell Junior College, Newton, Mass.; Association of Deans and Counselors, Tufts University, Medford, Mass.; New England Guidance Counselors Association, Providence, R.I.; Conference of Emotional Problems of School Children, Melrose, Mass., Admissions Policies Conference, Northern Essex Community College, Haverhill, Mass.; Symposium of the Emotionally Disturbed, at Lowell State College, Lowell, Mass.; Admissions Policies and Programs of Study, McIntosh School, Lawrence, Mass.; Conference Programs and Admissions Policies, Essex Agricultural and Technical School, Hawthorne, Mass.; Admission Policies Conference, Lowell State College, Lowell, Mass.; Conference regarding Changes of Admissions, Bentley College, Waltham, Mass.; and Conference on "Opening Educational Doors to the Underprivileged", New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, Boston, Mass.

The Billerica Schools testing program is conducted by the Guidance Department, and consists of the following:

Group Tests:

Grade 1	Reading-Readiness Tests
Grades 2 through 12	Achievement Tests, the results of which are given and interpreted for students, and parents, and are used in the counselling sessions.
Grades 6-8-10	Intelligence Tests — indicative of subtle changes in development or retardation.

Individual Tests:

Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale
Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children
Stanford-Binet Intelligence Scale L M
Kuder Preference Record, Vocational, Form CH

It is recommended that the Guidance Department be assigned more counselors, and that more office space be added.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN E. ADAMS
Director of Guidance

ART EDUCATION

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

As we start our thirtieth year of Art Education in the Billerica School System we point out that we have developed our Art Education from a limited curriculum to the present organization of an Art Supervisor and four teachers of Art. The increasing enrollment now demands a further expansion of the department personnel to carry out the present Art Curriculum which incorporates the best of latest methods, educational philosophies, materials and supplies.

The Massachusetts Department of Education and the State Director of Art Education, Dr. Robert Bertolli, regard Billerica highly as having a School Department which offers the best in Art Education to all its students. All persons in Billerica who are concerned and interested in the education of our children should be gratified in knowing this.

We wish to assure parents that we will continue our progress towards greater growth in the arts, hoping to shape a child-person who respects his own judgments and is creative in all aspects of living.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN W. ROUX
Supervisor of Art Education

REPORT OF THE EVENING SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Evening School Classes for the year 1965.

Classes are held at the Memorial High School Tuesday and Wednesday evening from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. for a period of twenty weeks beginning the first week of October and closing the last week of March.

There is an enrollment this year of 343 adults. Seventeen courses make up the Evening School program, which consists of Basic Clothing, Advanced Clothing, Tailoring, Basic and Advanced Decorated Wares, two classes of Knitting, two classes of Rug Braiding, Cake Decorating, two classes of Cabinet Making, two classes of Art-Painting, Basic Typing, Modern Math for Parents, and a course in the study of Russian Language.

Registration for all courses is held each year at the Memorial High School, during the last week of September. The regular Evening School Program ends each year with the presentation of a fashion show and exhibit of the materials made by the members of the various Practical Arts classes.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DOCTORS

Pupils examined in 1st, 4th, 7th and new pupils	2080
Enlarged Tonsils	129
Pediculosis	17
Impetigo	14
Scoliosis	1
Abscessed Teeth	7
Carious Teeth	118
Heart Murmers	58
Diptheria Innoculations	629
Emergency Visits to Office	6
Physicals for Physical Education and Sports	2334

Respectfully submitted,

ORLAND S. MARSHALL, M.D.
S. GUNTHER HAJJAR, M.D.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1965

Appropriated		$2,336,380.00
Expended		2,336,377.80
Balance		$ 2.20

Reimbursements and Income

From the Commonwealth:		
School Aid (Chapter 70)	$ 254,371.70	
Transportation	82,499.00	
Special Classes	29,797.00	
State Wards (Tuition and Transportation)	8,472.18	
Youth Service Board (Tuition and Transportation)	266.71	
Vocational Education	4,334.03	
Summer School Registration	2,961.00	
Rental, Industrial Arts, Miscellaneous	1,889.57	
Total Reimbursement 1965		$ 384,591.19
Net Cost of Schools to Town		$1,951,786.61
Net Cost per Pupil		$ 306.02

Vocational Schools

Appropriation	$ 8,000.00
Expended	$ 7,998.11
Balance	$ 1.89

Federal Aid

Balance, January 1, 1965 (P.L. 874)	$ 1,131.26
Received in 1965	48,621.00
Amount available in 1965	$ 49,752.26
Expended in 1965	49,749.18
Balance, January 1, 1966	$ 3.08
Balance, January 1, 1965 (P.L. 864)	$ 747.15
Received in 1965	7,241.99
Amount available in 1965	$ 7,989.14
Expended in 1965	7,984.96
Balance, January 1, 1966	$ 4.18

Trust Fund

Available 1965	$ 6,195.27
Expended 1965	1,426.53
Balance, January 1, 1966	$ 4,768.74

Expenses

SALARIES:		
Director	$ 600.00	
Teachers	3,696.00	
Custodian	430.00	
Total Expended for Salaries		$ 4,726.00
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES		
Adult Education Programs	$ 47.58	
Exhibit Materials & Expenses	23.50	
Lumber for Shop	195.42	
Postage	7.50	
Total		$ 274.00
TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1965		$ 5,000.00
UNEXPENDED BALANCE		$ 0.00

Receipts

State Reimbursement	$ 1,619.25	
Registration Fees	628.00	
Projects Woodworking	114.30	
TOTAL RECEIPTS TO TOWN TREASURER		$ 2,361.55

Respectfully submitted,
JACK D. O'BRIEN
Director

SCHOOL CAFETERIAS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1965

Cash Balance	$ 17,243.97	
Receipts		
Milk and Lunchroom Sales	$ 155,921.47	
Government Reimbursement	59,580.74	
Total Receipts		$ 232,746.18
Expenditures		
Food and others	$ 131,079.98	
Payroll	70,723.71	
Total Expenditures		201,803.69
Cash Balance		$ 30,942.49
Estimated December Bills		18,247.01
Working Balance		$ 12,695.48

Respectfully submitted,
JANE HALLENBORG
Supervisor

BILLERICA MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1965

Receipts

Appropriation	$ 16,366.00	
Basketball	223.25	
Cash on hand, January 1, 1965	1,352.12	
Football	7,666.93	
Other	93.60	
Total Receipts		$ 25,701.90

Expenditures

Awards	$ 2,168.50	
Clean and repair equipment	2,228.90	
Custodians	232.00	
Game guarantee	1,831.57	
New Equipment		
Baseball	602.69	
Basketball	205.29	
Basketball (Girls)	219.80	
Hockey	1,917.85	
Field Hockey	346.61	
Football	1,785.90	
Softball (Girls)	270.83	
Cross country, Track	382.55	
Wrestling	176.50	
Miscellaneous	3,556.80	
Officials	2,717.00	
Police	326.00	
Ticket sellers and takers	354.50	
Transportations	3,049.20	
Total Expenditures		$ 22,372.49
Total cash on hand December 31, 1965		$ 3,329.41

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. HAYES
Faculty Manager

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSES

Class Inspection	Exclusions Recommended
Impetigo	33
Conjunctivitis	13
Pediculosis	32
Ringworm	8
Pinkeye	5
Dogbite	11
Mousebite	2
Snakebite	1
Suspected Contagion	50
Pupils sent home:	
Illness	2,420
Accidents	84
Pupils taken home	
Illness	70
Accidents	11
First Aid	10,422
Pupils sent home	
no Certificate after Contagious Disease	24
Home Visits	69
Referred to Family Physician	174
Referred to School Physician	80
Sent to Hospital	3
Consultations with State Nursing Supervisor	2
Sabin Polio Clinic	537
Testing by Mrs. Harrington:	
Ears Tested	5,500
Retested	222
Eyes Tested	5,500
Retested	464

Health records are kept on each student with such information as heights and weights, eye and ear test results, innoculations and contagious diseases and any other data related to health. Home visits are made at the request of the principals.

The doctors are assisted with the physical examinations and diptheria clinic.

We attended two workshops, one on vision and one on hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

RITA P. FREEMAN, R.N.
MARY M. M. NIMMO, R.N.
EILEEN M. GRADY, R.N.
HELEN RYNNE, R.N.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Number of Pupils Checked	6,802
Sickness	4,782
No Clothing	126
Missed Bus	703
Left Town	576
Left School	142
Working Without Certificate	22
Satisfactory Reasons	640
Unsatisfactory Reasons	503
Brought to School	360
Truants	605
Committed to Middlesex Training School	2
Referred to S.P.C.C.	3

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS L. SHAUGHNESSEY
Supervisor of Attendance

SCHOOL STAFF AND PUPIL ENROLLMENT

In Service January 1966	Subject or Grade	Billerica Began Service	10-1-65 Enrollment
Frederick C. Riel	Superintendent of Schools	1958	
William H. Flaherty, Jr.	Assistant Superintendent	1964	
MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL			
Chester D. Ingraham	Principal	1961	
Helen E. Adams	Head of Guidance Dept.	1936	Gr. 9-463
William E. Alcott	Biology	1960	10-315
Dolores M. Ahern	German, World History	1964	11-300
William V. Archambault	Science	1964	12-305
E. Ruth Belcher	French	1927	——
Vincent F. Blake	Science	1963	1383
Thelma L. Brown	Home Economics	1945	
Daniel T. Buckley, Jr.	Developmental Reading	1961	
James F. Buckley	Arithmetic	1965	
Patricia E. Cain	English	1962	
Giorgio V. Carlino	Spanish	1964	
Margaret M. Cassin	English	1954	
Donald R. Clancy	Chemistry, Physics	1955	
Peggy A. Clark	Physical Education	1961	
Thomas F. Connor	Biology, Phys. Science	1965	
Marjorie F. Cooney	Bookkeeping	1958	
Palmer G. Cox	Math	1964	
Ruth J. Drescher	Civics, World History	1957	
Martha Dunn	English	1965	
Robert A. Finnegan	Social Studies	1962	
Ernest L. Freeman	Civics	1965	
Peter G. Gabriel	Chemistry	1961	
Robert M. Gill	Hd. of Ind. Arts Dept., Wood	1931	
Joseph F. Giunta	Office Practice, Type.	1956	
Howard R. Goodrow	Type., Soc. Science	1965	
Nannene Gowdy	English	1963	
George S. Gracie	Hd. of Phys. Ed. Dept.	1955	
George H. Guenard	Science	1961	
David L. Halpin	Earth Science	1965	
John E. Hayes	English	1958	
Barbara L. Hood	Physical Education	1953	
Gertrude Houghton	Spanish	1964	
Gerald E. Hunt	Automotive	1957	
Carl G. Jahnle	English	1965	
Isabel M. Jahnle	Sten., Trans., Eng.	1961	
Ralph J. Jannino, Jr.	Physical Education	1963	
Edwin G. Kagan	Algebra	1960	
John L. Lalumiere	Math	1962	
Charles Lampson	P.A.D.	1941	
Marco L. Marchi	Art	1960	
Francis M. Martin	Latin	1961	

Joan L. McDuffie	Ancient History	1960	
Frances M. McGee	U. S. History	1954	
Ora K. McLaughlin	Hd. of Math Dept., Math	1954	
Angela B. Marchese	Sten., Type.	1963	
Arthur W. Merrifield	Head of Forgn. Lang. Dept.	1950	
Louise B. Messer	Hd. of Commercial Dept.	1955	
Andrew A. Mountain	Mech. Draw., Floormaster	1962	
Robert G. Mullarky	Guidance	1964	
Richard L. Myles	Math, Floormaster	1959	
John D. Nuttall	Vice Principal	1953	
John D. O'Brien	Hd. of Science Dept.	1952	
Geraldine A. Penney	Business	1965	
Jean P. Perron	Business, Floormaster	1962	
Raoul H. Piche, Jr.	English	1964	
Arthur Podaras	English, Creative Writing	1962	
Neil F. Restani	Hd. of English Dept.	1961	
Dorothy A. Richardson	Arithmetic	1939	
Roger Samson	Machine Shop	1957	
Elma J. Sarkisian	Geography, World History	1953	
Mary C. Saunders	English, French	1949	
Leon A. Sedar	Driver Education	1956	
Sandra Sheppard	English	1963	
Sidney S. Sher	Hd. of Social Studies Dept.	1954	
Ann M. Splaine	U. S. History	1957	
Esther E. Splaine	Bookkeeping	1955	
Socrates G. Taseos	Math	1963	
Alfred E. Wilson	Gen. Bus., Bookkeeping	1963	
Eunice Wilson	Guidance	1956	
Don V. Yates	English	1963	

HOWE JR. HIGH

Royal S. Adams	Principal	1952	
Charles L. Adams	Science	1963	Gr. 7-499
Thomas J. Agathopoulos	Shop	1963	Gr. 8-448
Ralph H. Bibeau	Latin, Social Studies	1964	Sp. Cl - 67
J. Raymond Brown	Science	1957	——
Andrew B. Brusko	Social Studies	1956	1014
Joseph D. Cashtan	Social Studies	1965	
Madalyn J. Condon	English	1951	
Lillian P. Dalton	Science	1961	
Peter J. Danas	Math	1960	
James F. DeVellis	Math	1965	
Richard A. Donovan	Science	1961	
Richard E. Durgin	English	1964	
G. David Flanagan	Math	1965	
William J. Flynn	English	1965	
Donald R. Fraser	Science, Math	1955	
Roland H. Guthrie, Jr.	Phys. Ed.	1965	
Lois Hathaway	Special Class	1965	
Barbara A. Hehir	Art	1965	
Raymond D. Homola	Science	1964	

Stanley C. Jekanoski, Jr.	Social Studies, Science	1962	
Arthur M. Johansen	Trainable Class	1963	
Richard M. Loranger	Vice Principal	1956	
Mary A. Marrone	English	1964	
Paula J. Merriman	Home Economics	1965	
Mary M. Moran	Sup. of Special Classes	1949	
Rodney J. Morin	Math	1965	
Stephen V. Panos	Social Studies	1956	
Gerard A. Perry	English, Social Studies	1965	
Charles S. Santagati, Jr.	Music	1961	
Joseph A. Sarno	Guidance	1960	
Philip A. Sartorelli	Math, Science	1965	
Thomas J. Sheehan	Phys. Ed.	1965	
Ann F. Sullivan	Social Studies	1961	
Maureen Sullivan	Art	1962	
Patricia Sullivan	Social Studies	1959	
Maria Trombly	Special Class	1962	
Suzanne B. Trowbridge	English	1964	
Herbert L. Vrettos	Math	1965	
A. Eleanor Wain	Math	1928	
John J. Walsh	Special Class	1961	
Thomas J. Walsh	English	1960	
Nancy Weston	Science	1965	
Barbara E. Whitford	Phys. Ed.	1964	
Charles L. Wilcox	Guidance	1964	

HOWE JR. HIGH - Elem.

Mitchell L. Afrow	Grade 6	1965	33
Patricia E. O'Neil	Grade 6	1964	33
Leonard K. Smith	Grade 6	1963	32
Edward Sorenson	Grade 6	1953	32
Douglas N. Taylor	Grade 6	1965	33
Nora E. Wold	Grade 6	1965	32
			195

POLLARD SCHOOL

Francis X. Callahan	Principal - Pollard & Jr. High Elem.	1960	
Charles A. Eksoozian	Grade 5	1958	28
Grace L. Finnegan	Grade 6	1927	31
Ruth A. Gordon	Grade 4	1965	29
Gennaro Lepre	Grade 5	1964	30
Dennis N. Marino	Grade 6	1965	31
Gerald Nazarian	Grade 5	1955	36
Jo-an Savitz	Grade 6	1964	30
Suzanne Trevors	Grade 4	1965	33
Darleen P. Williams	Grade 5	1965	36
			284

TALBOT SCHOOL

Ida M. Tobey	Principal	1950	
Ruth H. Benstead	Grade 3	1955	28
Veronica M. Berry	Grade 3	1948	30
Evelyna A. Birtwell	Grade 1	1948	35
Catherine E. Burke	Grade 3, Asst. Prin.	1949	30
Marianne Cahill	Grade 2	1964	33
Alice M. Condon	Grade 2	1926	33
Anna M. Hopkins	Grade 2	1955	33
Helen R. Lyons	Grade 1	1926	35
Mary H. McGowan	Grade 3	1954	27
Katherine M. McSweeney	Grade 4	1955	25
Elaine M. Osborn	Grade 1	1965	35
Eileen T. Sheehan	Grade 1	1963	34
Alice V. Shipsey	Grade 2	1926	33
			411

PARKER SCHOOL

Mary E. Gill	Principal	1922	
Grace Beaton	Grade 5	1965	36
Mildred B. Bohannon	Grade 2	1952	29
Ruth R. Brodeur	Grade 3	1950	32
Mary E. Buchinskas	Grade 1	1964	34
Margaret E. Callahan	Grade 2	1961	28
Denise Fitzpatrick	Grade 1	1962	36
Grace G. Gallagher	Grade 3	1956	34
Eleanor M. Hadley	Grade 3	1949	34
Anne Hennessey	Grade 1	1965	32
Cecilia Joyce	Grade 2	1963	27
Suzanne J. Kalber	Grade 4	1966	30
Margaret M. Kennedy	Grade 4	1949	32
Albert C. Lefebvre	Grade 5	1965	36
Margaret I. Mason	Grade 3, Asst. Principal	1942	35
Anna M. Mikkola	Grade 4	1953	34
Eleanor A. Murphy	Grade 2	1946	26
Barbara Ann Ohanian	Grade 4	1965	28
Beverly Ohanian	Grade 1	1965	34
Maureen C. Shanahan	Grade 4	1965	34
Helen F. Wesel	Grade 1	1963	34
Ruth G. Westcott	Grade 2	1928	29
			674

KENNEDY SCHOOL

Catherine L. Torre	Principal	1951	
Mary A. Caldicott	Grade 3	1965	30
Esther F. Charron	Grade 4	1961	32
Eleanor R. Clement	Grade 1	1955	29
Pauline B. Cole	Grade 1	1962	31
Mary L. Danahy	Grade 4	1954	32

Marie J. M. Devanney	Grade 1	1963	27
Domenica A. Fiumara	Grade 2	1965	28
Angela Gianourakos	Grade 4	1965	31
Barbara K. Gray	Grade 1	1965	33
Margaret Kidder	Grade 5	1959	28
Catherine D. Lind	Grade 5	1964	29
Louise M. McDonald	Grade 2	1965	27
Phyllis M. Meltz	Grade 3	1965	29
Priscilla A. Morrison	Grade 1	1965	30
Kathleen D. Olson	Grade 4	1965	32
Denise P. Ranere	Grade 2	1965	29
Ruth E. Renwick	Grade 3	1962	29
Ruth Ann Rose	Grade 1	1965	30
Frances A. Savage	Grade 5	1960	31
Pamela L. Sheldon	Grade 3	1965	30
Mary Jean Wilson	Grade 2	1965	28
			625

DITSON SCHOOL

Esther A. Moglia	Principal	1924	
Margie Brazile	Grade 4	1962	33
Mary F. Fahey	Grade 1	1960	34
Eldora B. Ferren	Grade 1	1952	34
Patricia M. Gill	Grade 5	1964	32
Ann M. Hentz	Grade 3	1960	31
Regina M. Karnilla	Grade 6	1950	36
Lucille R. Manoli	Grade 4	1962	31
Virginia Mayo	Grade 6	1954	36
Teresa McGrath	Grade 3	1964	30
Paula Perry	Grade 3	1961	30
Beatrice F. Phillips	Grade 2	1955	33
Margaret R. Rabinovitz	Grade 1	1963	34
Mary V. Ramsey	Grade 2	1950	32
Catherine M. Regan	Grade 3	1959	30
George A. Roach, Jr.	Grade 5	1962	33
Kathleen T. Roche	Grade 2	1964	32
Margaret Rupp	Grade 4	1957	34
Elaine D. Shea	Grade 1	1962	34
Carol R. Stocks	Grade 2	1963	32
Milda M. Upley	Grade 5, Asst. Prin.	1937	35
			656

VINING SCHOOL

K. Shirley Cowdrey	Principal	1947	
Mabel B. Angell	Grade 4	1959	31
Mary Janet Collins	Grade 5	1964	30
Dorothy G. Conn	Grade 3	1955	32
Nancy S. Deachman	Grade 4	1964	32
Roberta M. DeGrinney	Grade 2	1965	32

Joan S. Finnegan	Grade 3	1962	32
Joseph T. Foley	Grade 6	1964	30
Linda A. Gilfillan	Grade 3	1965	32
Geraldine M. Greene	Grade 6	1965	28
Frank P. Horton	Grade 6	1961	29
Valerie Illingworth	Grade 2	1966	32
Mary P. Keaney	Grade 1	1953	30
Alma M. MacDonald	Grade 1	1965	32
Sheila T. Murphy	Grade 5	1955	28
Barbara Ann Sides	Grade 1	1965	30
Nancy L. Smith	Grade 1	1962	31
Celeste Stuart	Grade 5, Asst. Principal	1960	30
Paula M. Tuck	Grade 2	1965	31
			552

DUTILE SCHOOL

Elizabeth F. McCarthy	Principal	1940	
Catherine R. Bogert	Grade 1	1964	32
Sally J. Burke	Grade 5	1958	34
Anne B. Casey	Grade 3	1964	33
Maureen Duchesneau	Grade 1	1964	33
Alice E. Fleming	Grade 6	1963	31
Vicki A. Flint	Grade 3	1964	34
Philip B. Frank	Grade 4	1963	32
Patricia M. Gavel	Grade 4	1964	32
Pamela B. Giller	Grade 1	1965	33
Janet D. Herterick	Grade 1	1964	32
Harriet B. Keefe	Grade 2	1965	34
Anthony G. LaRosa	Grade 6	1964	30
Esther L. Levesque	Grade 6	1958	31
Muriel Rabinowitz	Grade 2	1963	33
Mary M. L. Sampson	Grade 3	1964	31
Sebastian Sicari	Grade 5	1960	35
Anne Ventola	Grade 4	1963	31
Maria Zamanakos	Grade 2	1964	33
			584
	TOTAL ENROLLMENT		6378

Elizabeth L. Johnson	Music Coordinator	1951
Lillian W. Roux	Art Supervisor	1937
Janet L. Allen	Phys. Ed. - Elementary	1964
Anita M. Ciarfella	Speech Hearing Therapist	1965
Joseph J. DeLuca, Jr.	Instrumental Music	1965
John J. DiGloria	Instrumental Music	1960
Edward D. James	Phys. Ed. - Elementary	1960
Janice M. Gaboriault	Music	1965
Elsie M. Miller	Remedial Reading	1956
Diane S. Rizzo	Art	1965
Norma Roos	Remedial Reading	1964
Sheila Savitsky	Speech Hearing Therapist	1959
Shirley A. Smith	Music	1965

Clerks

Bertha M. Baro: Vining	1965
Helen W. Barton: Parker	1957
Marjorie F. Currie: High School	1951
Susan E. Danehy: Junior High	1964
Beatrice L. Dole: Administration Building	1930
Phyllis R. Fraza: Junior High	1955
Mary Guillemette: Dutile	1955
Ann T. Irving: Talbot	1964
Patricia L. Locuson: Kennedy	1965
Lucy A. Lyons: Administration Building	1955
Genevieve Mount: Guidance	1957
Hazel Tilton: Ditson	1965
Elizabeth Walsh: High School	1957

School Nurses and Physicians

Rita P. Freeman	1947
Eileen M. Grady	1965
Helen K. Rynne	1954
Mary M. M. Nimmo	1963
Dr. S. Gunther Hajjar	
Dr. Orland S. Marshall	

Attendance Officer

F. Lester Shaughnessey	1947

Audio Visual Technician

Elizabeth Harrington	1956

Matrons

Bernice L. Plumley: High School	1955
Dorothy A. McKenna: Junior High	1965

Custodians and Maintenance

Paul J. Allard: Talbot	1953
James R. Campbell: Vining	1963
Louis Ciccotelli, Jr.: Maintenance	1965
Clement J. Cote: Dutile	1957
Robert D. Crockett: High, Administration Building	1965
Lewis M. Daniels: Pollard	1950
William F. Doherty: High	1965
Milton A. Farrell: Ditson	1963
Raymond A. Fraza: High	1948
Maurice H. Grady: Maintenance Foreman	1947
Robert P. Granfield: Parker	1964
John P. Griffin: Dutile	1955
Donald W. Hamilton: Junior High	1961
Joseph G. Joncas, Jr.: Junior High	1963
Lawn A. Kiley, Maintenance	1957
Walter E. Larson: Ditson	1957
John Mangiasi: Senior Building Custodian	1950

John McLaughlin: Vining	1955
Daniel F. McLaughlin: High	1964
Allen J. Metivier: Maintenance	1953
Fred L. Morgan: Jr. High	1951
Thomas J. Mulligan: High	1953
Victor Terrazzano: High	1953
George Tribuna: High	1955
Merle B. True: Junior High	1964
George Young: Parker, Talbot	1964
Harold A. Swift: Maintenance	1965
Charles T. Gay: Floater	1965

Cafeteria Manager

Jane Hallenborg: Office-High School	1951

Cafeteria Workers

High School:	
Lillian R. Rotellini	1955
Julia Kerivan	1964
Everlena Stuart	1960
Virginia M. Paavola	1963
Marion Murphy	1956
Bertha MacDonald	1955
Alice Dickie	1965
Mary Kelley	1955
Aretta Hartshorn	1963
Junior High:	
Josephine Reslow	1954
Virginia M. Irwin	1960
Ruth M. Aliot	1960
Adeline Taylor	1965
Mary C. Whelan	1963
Mary McNulty	1963
Frances Malandrino	1961
Amelia McLaughlin	1959
Dorothy McDewell	1965
Parker School:	
Mary L. Newcomb	1957
Gladys Rock	1965
Kathryn Strom	1957
Mary Reynolds	1955
Vining School:	
Marie Ransom	1955
Janet Blaisdell	1963
Ruth Melendy	1963
Grace Mangiasi	1955
Alice Corrieri	1961
Dutile School:	
Mary P. Granfield	1955
Lillian Mucci	1965
Esther Walsh	1965

Ditson School:

Mary McLaughlin	1951
Anna Padula	1959
Louise Callahan	1963
Lillian Scott	1965
Edna Calo	1965

Traffic Officers

Ronald Hamilton: Ditson
Elmer Perry: Vining
George Ransom: Fox Hill
Frank Bristol: Fox Hill

WARRANT

FOR

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

BILLERICA, MASSACHUSETTS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.
To Any Constable in the Town of Billerica

Greetings:

You are hereby authorized and required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Billerica, qualified by law to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Parker School, Billerica Center; Talbot School, North Billerica; Ditson School, Pinehurst; Vining School, Nuttings Lake; John F. Kennedy School, East Billerica; and the River Pines Association Clubhouse, Billerica, at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, March 5, 1966, to bring in their votes on one ballot for the following Town Officers:

Two Members of the Board of Selectmen, One Town Clerk, One Associate Assessor, One Member of the Board of Health, One Member of the Board of Public Welfare, Two Members of the School Committee, One Member of the Cemetery Commission, One Member of the Regional Vocational School District Committee all for three years. One Moderator and Two Constables all for One Year. One Member of the Planning Board, One Member of the Billerica Housing Authority all for five years. One Member of the Board of Public Welfare for an unexpired term of One Year and One Member of the Billerica Housing Authority for an unexpired term of one year.

Also for the election of eleven (11) Town Meeting Members for Precinct One; seventeen (17) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Two; eighteen (18) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Three; ten (10) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Four; thirteen (13) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Five; eleven (11) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Six all for three years. One Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of two (2) years for Precinct Two; Two Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of two (2) years; Two Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of one (1) year for Precinct Five.

Polls will close at 8:00 P.M.

And you are further required to notify and warn the inhabitants and Town Meeting Members qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the Billerica Memorial High School, Saturday, March 12, 1966, at 10:00 A.M., then and there to vote on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To choose one member of the Bowers Fund Commission for a term of five years.

ARTICLE 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers.

ARTICLE 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers and Committees heretofore appointed.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to fix the compensation of the elected town officers, provide for a reserve fund, and to determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate, including appropriations from available funds, to defray charges and expenses of the Town, including debt and interest, for the ensuing year; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1966, and to issue note or notes as may be required for a period of not more than one year, in accordance with Section 4 and Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1967, and to issue note or notes as may be required for a period of not more than one year, in accordance with Section 4 and Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to aid in the support of the Bennett Public Library; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Bennett Public Library Association

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the property taken by the Town under Tax Title Procedure under the following terms and conditions:

1. No such property shall be sold for less than the total unpaid taxes or the assessed valuation whichever is greater.
2. Notice of intention to sell shall be published in a newspaper of local circulation for two consecutive weeks, the last notice to appear not less than ten days before said sale. The notice shall include the minimum acceptable bid as set forth above.
3. In the case of lots with less area or frontage than required by the Zoning By-Law in the applicable district, the property shall be awarded to the abutting owner, if any, who makes the highest bid above the minimum.
4. In all other cases, the award shall be made to the person making the highest bid above said minimum.
5. In every case the cost of advertising, plus cost of transfer shall be added to the amount of the bid and paid by the purchaser.
6. The Board of Selectmen shall conduct not more than three such sales in any one calendar year, or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,000.00 to advertise Tax Title lots; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $8,401.73 to pay the following bills: Water Department, Charles McWhinnie, 1965 bills for $139.90; John E. Keoughan, 1965 bills for $144.10; William F. Kelley, 1963 and 1964 bills for $256.00; Public Works Department, Emmons, Fleming & Bienvenu, 1965 bill for $421.25; Gulf Oil Corporation, 1965 bills for $323.19; Billerica Motor Parts, Inc., 1965 bill for $153.35; Highway Department, Fay & Driscoll, Inc., 1964 and 1965 bills for $288.30; Grossman's, 1965 bills for $349.13; Allied Chemical Corporation, 1965 bills for $259.20; Sears, Roebuck & Company, 1965 bill for $441.31; Jowalco, Inc., 1965 bill for $328.25; John P. Condon Corp., 1965 bill for $4,943.29; Memorial Day Committee, William F. Eggo Post #2596 V.F.W., 1965 bill for $95.82; Tree Department, Grossman's, 1965 bill for $74.17; Sewer Department, Grossman's, 1965 bill for $184.47; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department, Memorial Day Committee and William F. Kelley

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,176.02 to pay the following bills: Veterans' Benefits, Lowell General Hospital, 1965 bill for $413.78; Dr. Arthur H. Giles, 1965 bill for $29.00; Dr. George Grant, 1965 bill for $25.00; Dr. S. G. Hajjar, 1965 bill for $10.00; Dr. John Q. Marshall, 1965 bill for $42.10; Page's Drug Store, 1965 bill for $3.50; Dale Pharmacy, 1965 bill for $22.05; Highway Department, Pomerleau Bros., Inc., 1965 bill for $9.24; Middlesex County House of Correction, 1965 bill for $37.20; Board of Health, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 1965 bill for $584.15; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Veterans' Agent, Highway Department and Board of Health

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be used to employ two permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase three station wagon type cruisers for the Billerica Police Department, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade or sell the two 1965 Dodge station wagon type cars, to be applied against the purchase price of the three new vehicles; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase and install a new heating system in the Billerica Police Station; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase three portable

radios for the Billerica Police Department and Civil Defense use; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to employ six additional permanent men for the Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $16,398.00 for additional permanent men and equipment for same in the event that the preceding article is accepted; the sum of $15,318.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department and the sum of $1,080.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department, the additional men to start employment on or about August 1, 1966; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,264.00 for fire alarm extensions and boxes as follows: Wyman Road at the entrance to Wyman Heights, $411.00; Bridge Street, from Boston Road to Treble Cove Road, $980.00; (2) boxes at Foster Road and Treble Cove Road; Andover Road into Sandberg Road (1) box, $291.00; Andover Road into Kenrick Avenue (1) box, $291.00; Boston Road into Pinedale Avenue, (1) box, $291.00; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,295.00 to replace the old fire alarm wires from the fire alarm switch board to the terminal box on the pole outside and replace all the old overhead fire alarm wires running north on Boston Road from the pole outside for a distance of approximately eight (8) hundred feet to the pole at the further end of the Common with a new 24 conductor fire alarm cable with all necessary fittings for same; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,800.00 for a new ¾ ton pick-up truck for the Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of not more than four members to establish and lay out Fire Limits for the Town; or take any other action thereto.
Submitted by the Building Inspector

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be expended by the North Billerica Fire Station Building Committee, for additional costs of the North Billerica Fire Station; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by North Billerica Fire Station Committee

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $4,000.00 for an Air Compressor for the Water Department and to authorize the Selectmen to sell the 1946 Ford truck with mounted compressor, and the portable compressor, and apply the money toward the purchase of the new compressor; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,600.00 for two Pick-up-Trucks, one for the Water Department and one for the Highway Department, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1962 Pick-up-Truck of the Highway Department and to apply the money toward the purchase price of the new Pick-up-Trucks; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,000.00 for a Utility Truck for the Water Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the old 1961 Utility Truck of the Water Department and to apply the money toward the purchase price of a new Utility Truck; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,200.00 for a Dump Truck for the Highway Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1957 GMC Dump Truck and apply the money towards the purchase of the Dump Truck; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,800.00 to purchase a Cab and Chassis for the Highway Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1959 Ford dump truck of the Highway Department, and to apply the money toward the purchase price of the Cab and Chassis; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $25,000.00 to purchase a new road grader and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the present road grader and apply the money toward the purchase price of the new grader; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a sign making machine and necessary equipment; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $4,500.00 for a Mist Sprayer for the Tree Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell

the 1949 Mist Sprayer of the Tree Department, and apply the money towards the purchase price of the Mist Sprayer; or act in relation hereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $340.00 to purchase a Wire Broom and Spindle for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $175.00 for a Floor Jack for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $80.00 for a Wheel Balancer for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the erection of suitable handrails on the steps at the front of the Town Hall; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase the necessary equipment for a mobile radio system for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to repair the sidewalk on the easterly side of Boston Road from Andover Road to southerly end of O'Connor's Hardware, and to construct a sidewalk from the southerly end of O'Connor's Hardware to the northerly edge of the driveway of St. Theresa's Church; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $53,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing or renting voting machines for the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to install a drain pipe in Nashua Road northerly from Dudley Road to a brook, a distance of approximately 1,100 feet; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Public Works

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to employ a full time Wire Inspector and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $6,000.00 for salary of same; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting paragraph 4.1 of subsection 4 of Section 10 and substituting the following:

4.1 In the respective residential zoning districts named below the dimensions and areas stated below shall be the minimums per lot.

	Minimum Area	Minimum Frontage	Minimum Depth
Village Residence Districts	25,000 sq. ft.	125 ft.	125 ft.
Neighborhood Residence Districts	35,000 sq. ft.	150 ft.	150 ft.
Rural Residence Districts	45,000 sq. ft.	200 ft.	200 ft.

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting subsection 4.2 of Section 10 and by deleting the words "or two" from subsection 1.1 of Section 5 so that the first clause of subsection 1.1 states "single family residences and gardens;" or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding to Section 2 the following paragraph:

7. Structure: A combination of materials assembled at a fixed location to give support or shelter, such as a building, framework, retaining wall, tent, reviewing stand, platform, bin, fence, sign, mast for radio antenna or the like, but excluding a flagpole. The word "structure" shall be construed where the context allows, as though followed by the words "or part or parts thereof;"

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, the sum of $2,680.05 as its apportioned annual cost, based on $0.15 per capita, for the operation of the Greater Lowell Regional Planning District, in accordance with Section 7 of Chapter 40B of the General Laws; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map by designating a Flood Plain District, as shown on map of the Town of Billerica entitled "Flood Plain District, March 10, 1964" a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk, and also to amend the Zoning By-Law by making the following changes in subsection 7 of Section 5:

A. Delete subsection 7.0.1 and substitute the following:

7.0.1 The purpose of this district is to promote the health and

safety of the occupants of lands deemed subject to seasonal or periodic flooding. The land included in this district is also included in one of the other districts defined in this by-law. It is the intention of these regulations that the requirements of the Flood Plain District shall be considered to apply in addition to the requirements of whatever other district may include the land. No building or structure intended for human occupancy, either continuous or intermittent, shall be erected or placed in the Flood Plain District unless a special permit for an exception is granted by the Board of Appeals. Only those buildings and structures, which in the opinion of the Board of Appeals, are so situated and constructed as to be suitable and safe for human occupancy shall be permitted; such permit shall be secured in the manner prescribed in this section.

B. Delete 7.2.1 and substitute the following:

7.2.1 No building permit shall be issued unless the Board of Appeals has granted a special permit as an exception as provided in this subsection. All permits issued shall indicate the condition under which the Board of Appeals approval is granted.

C. Modify subsection 7.2.2 by changing the words "forty-five" to "ninety" (to conform to Section 18 of Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the State of Massachusetts.)

D. Delete item c from subsection 7.3.1 and substitute the following:

c. that all spaces contemplated for use are elevated at least two feet above the expected water level in flood periods for the particular flood plain district as defined by the map of the Flood Plain District and that the fill and foundations are installed in a manner to be safe from erosion and undermining by flood waters.

E. Delete item e from subsection 7.3.1.

F. Delete subsection 7.4.2 and substitute the following:

7.4.2 Uses other than those requiring special permits for exceptions as required in this subsection 7 shall be permitted provided such uses are permitted in the particular zoning district containing the particular land involved. All conditions and qualifications of said zoning district shall apply.

7 G. Insert a new subsection 7.7 following subsection 7.6. It shall read as follows:

7.7 In order to determine the exact boundaries of the Flood Plain District, reference shall be made to map of the Town of Billerica entitled "Flood Plain Districts March 10, 1964" a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk. Regardless of ground elevation, no area outside the boundaries of the various Flood Plain Districts as shown on the map shall be subject to the regulations pertaining to the Flood Plain District on said map for each Flood Plain District thereby defined. Ground elevations above mean sea level (datum 1929) are stated to establish for the purpose of this By-Law the expected water level in flood periods for various Flood Plain Districts shown on the map. The Board of Appeals shall use these elevations to determine its requirements for granting any special permit.

7.8 All buildings designed for human occupancy, which are

existing on the date this amendment is voted shall be exempt from the provisions of subsection 7. of Section 5, whether or not said buildings are located within the boundaries of the Flood Plain District;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to a Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Mary E. McMenimen on 12 Andover Road, bounded and described as follows:

Located on the northerly side of Andover Road; on the West by land of Desrosiers, 205.22 ft.; on the North by land of the Congregational Church, 99.70 ft.; on the East by land of Lyons, 188 ft.; on the South by Andover Road, 54.27 feet. Containing 14,400 sq. ft.;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to a General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Town of Billerica on Lowell Street, bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land located on Lowell Street on the northerly side thereof and being shown as parcel 9 on plate 9 on the tax maps of the Town of Billerica and described as follows: Southerly by Lowell Street 500 ft.; Westerly by land of S. Paszkiewicz, Frank Wojtowitcz Estate 300 ft.; Northerly by land of Town of Billerica 500 ft.; Easterly by other land of the Town of Billerica 300 ft.;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,500.00 for expansion and improvements on the property of the Cemetery Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Cemetery Commissioners

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to sell the following described parcel of land to the Disabled Veterans Post Chapter 47 of the Town of Billerica for the sum of one dollar ($1.00) with the condition that it be used to provide quarters for said chapter.

A certain parcel of land located on Lowell Street on the northerly side thereof and being shown as parcel 9 on plate 9 on the tax maps of the Town of Billerica and described as follows: Southerly by Lowell Street three hundred feet, westerly by land of owner unknown two hundred feet, northerly by land of owner unknown three hundred feet, easterly by other land of the Town of Billerica two hundred feet;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Disabled Veterans Chapter 47, Billerica, Mass.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to provide bus transportation for children attending Grammar schools outside of the Town of Billerica, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money necessary to carry out such purposes; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Bernard T. McNally and others

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $7,000.00 for the salary of a full time agent for the Board of Health; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Health

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,100.00 to be expended by the Board of Health for the control of algae weeds and other aquatic nuisances in Nuttings Lake; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Health

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,300.00 as Billerica's share of the State Mental Health program; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Health

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Health to appoint a Director of Public Health, minimum requirements of said position to be not less than those required of a Registered Sanitarian, certified under the authority of Section 87NN of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 673 of the Acts of 1957; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Health Agent Study Committee

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $6,292.00 to be used to employ one permanent, full time Director of Public Health, minimum requirements to be not less than those required of a Registered Sanitarian, certified under the authority of Section 87NN of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 673 of the Acts of 1957; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Health Agent Study Committee

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Health to employ one permanent, full time Junior Clerk Typist for the Public Health Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Health Agent Study Committee

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,468.40 to be used to employ one permanent, full time Junior Clerk Typist for the Public Health Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Health Agent Study Committee

ARTICLE 57. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $4,000.00 to be expended by the

Board of Health for the next phase in the control of algae, weeds and other aquatic nuisances in Nuttings Lake; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Stasia J. Rudgis and others

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a full time Dog Officer and Animal Inspector, and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,200.00 for salary for the same; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Dog Officer

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law to permit in General Business Districts the erection and use of multiple for use by the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority, by inserting in Section 5, Paragraph 1 of the Zoning By-Law entitled: "In residence districts," the following paragraph:

1.11 The construction and use of multiple dwelling structures for the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Housing Authority

ARTICLE 60. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law to permit in neighborhood business districts the erection and use of multiple dwellings for use by the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority, by inserting in Section 5, Paragraph 2 of the Zoning By-Law entitled: "In Neighborhood Business Districts," the following paragraph:

2.4 The construction and use of multiple dwelling structures for the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Housing Authority

ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law to permit in Residence Districts the erection and use of multiple dwellings dwellings for use by the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority, by inserting in Section 5, Paragraph 3 of the Zoning By-Law entitled: "In General Business Districts," the following paragraph:

3.7 The construction and use of multiple dwelling structures for the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Housing Authority

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law to permit the erection and use in Residence Districts of multiple dwellings for use by the aged on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the

Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority, as an exception to the Zoning By-Law by inserting in Section 5, Paragraph 1.10 after the words "nursing home" the following:

"multiple dwellings for use by the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority;"

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to a neighborhood Business District the whole or any part of land owned by John D. and Anna B. Mason on 493 Boston Road, bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by land of Rachel Rosatto, 271 ft.; Westerly by said last named land, 222 ft.; Easterly by Boston Road, 167 ft.; Southerly by other land of Rachel Rosatto, 265 ft.; Area of land is bout 51,000 s.f. Property is also known as parcel 35 of plate 70 in the Town's Property Maps;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 64. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residential District to a General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Arthur C. & Pamela W. Fillmore on Boston Road, bounded and described as follows:

Easterly by LaSallette Road 130.15 ft. to point of radius around radius 25.55 ft. Along Boston Road 128.00 ft. Westerly by land of 133.00 ft. and 54.45 ft. then Northerly by land of 160.69 ft. to point of beginning. Said lot contains 25,500 sq. ft. of land;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 65. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Business District to a General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by M & T Construction Corporation on Salem Road, bounded and described as follows:

Lots C1, C2, and lot containing two acres more or less as shown on a plan entitled "Compiled Plan Land in Billerica, Drawn for M & T Construction Corporation" dated December, 1965, which plan is recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book , Plan , and said land is bounded: Southwesterly by Salem Road, as shown on said plan, 600 feet; Northwesterly by other land of M & T Construction Corporation, as shown on said plan, 240 feet; Northeasterly by Kings Pines, as shown on said plan, 600 feet; and Southeasterly by Kitchen Avenue, as shown on said plan, 327 feet;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 66. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to an Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by Walter Arakelian et als on Rangeway Road, bounded and described as follows:

To extend the present industrially zoned area beginning at station number 35 as shown on a plan of Massachusetts Department of Public Works for the relocation of Rangeway Road dated 1953 thence: Northerly along the Easterly boundary of said Rangeway Road four hundred feet to station 40 plus 50 on said plan; thence Southeasterly 850 feet more or less to a large oak tree; thence along the existing industrially zoned land to the point of beginning;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 67. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 for maintaining the Billerica Little League Field and to aid in the support of the Little League; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Billerica Little League

ARTICLE 68. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 84 for the purpose of maintaining the Conservation Commission; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by The Billeriia Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 69. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $500.00 from the Forest Fund, for expenses, maintenance and A.C.P. work; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by The Billerica Forest Committee

ARTICLE 70. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $300.00 for the expenses of the Billerica Housing Authority; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Billerica Housing Authority

ARTICLE 71. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,000.00 for the Industrial Commission; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 72. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to purchase shade trees, shrubbery, landscaping and replacing old trees for the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 73. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose of having a series of band concerts on the Billerica Center Common during the summer months; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 74. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,000.00 for the purpose of laying out, constructing or reconstructing a sidewalk on the south side of Chelmsford Road in North Billerica from a point near the Manning Manse (at the end of the present sidewalk) to the driveway owned by Geartronics Corporation; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Richard D. Manning and others

ARTICLE 75. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase and install lights or other illumination for the traffic control post in Billerica Center; or do anything in relation to the same.
Submitted by Arthur R. Hallenborg and others

ARTICLE 76. To see if the Town will vote to accept Baniulis Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 77. To see if the Town will vote to accept Bertha Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 78. To see if the Town will vote to accept Biscayne Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 79. To see if the Town will vote to accept Buckingham Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICL7 80. To see if the Town will vote to accept Castlewood Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 81. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chatham Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 82. To see if the Town will vote to accept Churchill Street as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 83. To see if the Town will vote to accept David Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 84. To see if the Town will vote to accept Diane Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 85. To see if the Town will vote to accept Eubar Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 86. To see if the Town will vote to accept Garnet Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 87. To see if the Town will vote to accept Janice Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 88. To see if the Town will vote to accept Kasmir Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 89. To see if the Town will vote to accept Kern Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 90. To see if the Town will vote to accept Kimbrough Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 91. To see if the Town will vote to accept Larkspur Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Rose J. Baro and others

ARTICLE 92. To see if the Town will vote to accept Montbatten Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 93. To see if the Town will vote to accept Montclair Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 94. To see if the Town will vote to accept Newport Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Martha A. Gregory and others

ARTICLE 95. To see if the Town will vote to accept Nolte Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 96. To see if the Town will vote to accept Philip Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 97. To see if the Town will vote to accept Phyllis Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 98. To see if the Town will vote to accept Putney Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 99. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sheffield Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 100. To see if the Town will vote to accept University Lane as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 101. To see if the Town will vote to accept Westminster Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 102. To see if the Town will vote to accept Percell Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 103. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Board By-Law passed at the Annual Town Meeting of March 9, 1963, by deleting Paragraph (J) under Section I titled Vacation Provisions and substituting the following:

> (J) An employee shall be granted an additional day of vacation, if while on vacation leave a designated holiday occurs. If such additional time off cannot be given by reason of personnel shortage or other reasons, one day's pay consisting of 1/5 of one week's base pay shall be given in lieu of a day off;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 104. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $7,200.00 to be used for the operation of State-aided Evening Practical Arts Education courses including also Adult Education courses; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the School Committee

ARTICLE 105. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to replace the roof of the Vining School; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the School Committee

ARTICLE 106. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $8,000.00 to pay the cost of transporting pupils of grades one through three living between one-half and one mile from school; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the School Committee

ARTICLE 107. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $4,500.00 to formulate plans and designs for making a football field and track field at the rear of Memorial High School; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the School Committee

ARTICLE 108. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Building Code by making the following change:

Delete Section 5 of Part IX and substitute the following:

Section 5. Size of Dwellings: No single family dwelling one story in height shall have a finished floor area of less than 900 square feet. No single family dwelling of one and one-half stories in height shall have a finished first floor area of less than 800 square feet. No single family dwelling of two stories in height shall have a finished first floor area of less than 700 square feet plus a finished second floor area of less than 200 square feet.

No duplex house shall have a floor area of less than 1600 square feet including stairways per family unit.

Such minimum dwellings shall have no more than five rooms including bathrooms; and each room over five will require another 120 square feet to be added to the minimum. No residential type trailer with or without wheels shall be allowed in any part of town except in approved trailer parks unless for parking and trailer storage purposes specifically permitted by the Board of Health after determination that such use will not be objectionable to the neighborhood;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Castlewood East Association
Civic Affairs Committee

ARTICLE 109. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Babe Ruth League, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Babe Ruth League Committee; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Rabe Ruth League Committee

ARTICLE 110. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $425,000.00 for water main extension of six inch mains or larger, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxes, transfer from available funds, or by borrowing under the authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Water Committee

ARTICLE 111. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of not more than five members to prepare a sign by-law for the Town, said committee to include a member of the Board of Selectmen, a member of the Planning Board, a member of the Board of Appeal, a representative of business and industry, and the Building Inspector; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Building Inspector

ARTICLE 112. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law Fringe Benefits, Section I, by striking out paragraphs (b) (c) and (d) and inserting in place thereof:

(b) Employees who have been continuously employed for less than 5 years but more than 1 year, shall be granted two weeks vacation with pay,

(c) Employees who have been continuously employed for more than 5 years but less than 10 years shall be granted three weeks vacation with pay,

(d) Employees who have been continuously employed for more than 10 years shall be granted four weeks vacation with pay;

or act in relation thereto
Submitted by Lawrence R. DeBenedictis and others

ARTICLE 113. To see if the Town will accept as a Town By-Law the following:

No person shall fire or discharge any firearm or explosive of any kind within the limits of any highway, park, or other public property, except with the written permission of the Board of Selectmen, or on any private property except with the written consent of the owner or legal occupant thereof; provided however, that this By-Law shall not apply to the lawful defense of life or property, nor to any law enforcement officer acting in the discharge of his duties. Any person violating this By-Law shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars for each offense;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Weston E. Swanson and others

ARTICLE 114. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 16A of Chapter 51 of the General Laws of Massachusetts as amended, relating to the establishment of a Board of Election Commissioners; or act in relation to the same.
Submitted by Marcia S. Clark and others

ARTICLE 115. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds, a sum of money to provide compensation for the members of the Board of Election Com-

missioners, same to be spent under the direction of the Board of Selectmen; or do anything in relation to the same.
Submitted by Marcia S. Clark and others

ARTICLE 116. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase, for the sum of one thousand dollars an acre, or take by eminent domain, in fee, for school building purposes, forty acres more or less, of land situated on the easterly side of Allen Road in Billerica, Massachusetts, now owned by John D. Cooke and Ida B. Elfman, and described as follows:

> The land in Billerica containing about forty (40) acres and located on the easterly side of Allen Road in said Town and being all of that part of seventy-three and one-half (73.½) acres lot described in a deed dated June 22, 1955, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1298, Page 71, that lies on the easterly side of Allen Road, except a building lot in the northwest corner, with a frontage of one hundred fifty (150) feet on Allen Road, and a depth of two hundred twenty-six (226) feet, more or less;

or take any other action thereon.
Submitted by Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 117. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of forty thousand dollars for the purchase or taking in fee for school building purposes, forty acres, more or less, of land situated on the easterly side of Allen Road in Billerica, Mass., now owned by John D. Cooke and Ida B. Elfman, and described as follows:

> The land in Billerica containing about forty (40) acres and located on the easterly side of Allen Road in said Town and being all of that part of seventy-three and one-half (73½) acre lot described in a deed dated June 22, 1955, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1298, Page 71, that lies on the easterly side of Allen Road, except a building lot in the northwest corner, with a frontage of one hundred fifty (150) feet on Allen Road, and a depth of two hundred twenty-six (226) feet, more or less;

or take any other action thereon.
Submitted by Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 118. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, the sum of five thousand dollars to be used and expended by the Permanent School Building Committee for architectural, engineering and legal services in consultation with and for the benefit of such committee with reference to acquiring of land in the future for school building purposes; or take any other action thereon.
Submitted by Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 119. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 392 of the Acts of 1964 which is an act authorizing the Town of Billerica to construct and operate a system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 120. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain temporary and permanent easements for the construction and operation of a system or systems of sewerage and sewerage disposal in and through certain lands of various owners, all as shown on a series of plans, each of which is entitled "Plan of easements in Billerica, Mass., for sewer main construction and maintenance as ordered by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, September, 1965, Emmons, Fleming and Bienvenu, Engineers and Surveyors" which plans are numbered 1-11 on file in the office of the Town Clerk; or take any action thereon.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 121. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,081,000.00 for the purpose of constructing water extensions of six (6) inch mains or larger, a force main over sixteen (16) inches in diameter, a standpipe, and additions and improvements to the existing water treatment plant, all substantially as recommended for the first stage of construction by the Town's Consulting Engineers, Camp, Dresser & McKee, in its report to the Town dated September 28, 1964; and authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire all necessary land and easements thereto by gift, by purchase or by seizure by right of eminent domain; and to determine whether the same shall be raised by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or by any combination of the foregoing; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for accept and use any money that may become available for that purpose from the Federal and/or State Government; or take any other action relative thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 122. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain under Chapter 79 of the General Laws in fee for the purpose of erecting a standpipe in connection with proposed water works improvements the following described land located in the Town of Billerica supposed to belong to Musgrave Tower Farm, Inc., and bounded and described as follows:

Land in Billerica situated on the easterly side of Boston Road and thus bounded: Beginning at the northwesterly corner said corner being 348.05 feet northeasterly of the easterly boundary of Boston Road:

Then N79-15-42E-104.84 feet to a point;
Then S10-44-18E-267.40 feet to a point;
Then S80-49-07W-184.14 feet to a point;
Then N12-01-53W-185 feet to a point;
Then N79-15-42E-79.5 feet to a point;
Then N12-01-53W-79.8 feet to the point of beginning.

containing 43,400 square feet; and raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,000.00 for such purpose; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 123. To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of land now owned by Roberts Homes, Inc., being Lot X on a plan entitled "Castlewood East," dated March 7, 1962, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly sideline of Buckingham Drive at the front lot corner of lot 167, Thence; N39-12-26E 213.32 feet along the southeasterly sideline of Buckingham Drive, to the front lot corner of lot 166, Thence; S32-45-11E, 159.24 feet to the rear lot corner of lot 166, Thence; S38-02-09W, 200.07 feet to the rear lot corner of lot 167, Thence; N37-43-40W, 159.65 feet to the point of beginning. Said lot containing 31,623 square feet;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 124. To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of land now owned by Roberts Homes, Inc., being Lot Y on a plan entitled "Castlewood East," dated March 7, 1962, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the end of the wall at the rear of lot 164, Thence; In seven courses, along the back of lots 162 through lots 164, N01-27-15E 60.69 feet; N21-54-20E 300.00 feet; N21-32-10E 170.91 feet; N18-14-18E 2081.23 feet; N00-25-22E 899.45 feet; N40-48-35E 129.19 feet; S79-55-22E 30 feet more or less to the center line of the Shawsheen River, Thence; 2,078 feet more or less, along the centerline of the Shawsheen River and the southerly lot line of lot Y, to the point of beginning. Said lot containing 7.8 acres more or less;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 125. To see if the Town will accept a parcel of land now owned by M & T Construction Corporation, being Lot A on a plan entitled "Definitive Plan, Lincoln Park, Billerica, Mass., owned by Toothaker-Munro," dated June, 1963, which plan is recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 99, Plan 23, and said lot is bounded:

NORTHEASTERLY by land of the Boston and Maine Railroad, as shown on said plan, 48 feet; EASTERLY by the Shawsheen River, by several courses, as shown on said plan, 338.50 feet; SOUTHERLY by land of Lucia, as shown on said plan, 185 feet; SOUTHEASTERLY by last named land, as shown on said plan, 18.18 feet; SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 16, as shown on said plan, 85.19 feet; WESTERLY by Lots 15, 14 and 13, as shown on said plan, 337.88 feet. Together with the right to use in common with others entitled or to be entitled thereto the area marked 20' easement for drain and passage as shown on Lots 13 and 14 on said plan. Be any or all of said measurements more or less, or however otherwise said Lot A may be measured, bounded or described. Said lot containing one acre more or less;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 126. To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of land now owned by J. E. Farmer, being Lot 19A shown on a plan entitled "Shawsheen Acres," dated January 13, 1966, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly sideline of Partridge Road common to lot 20 and 19A; thence turning and running S8-11-31E, 199.19 feet to a point on a wall common to lot 20 and land of Farmer, thence turning and running S79-29-28E, 170.00 feet to the westerly sideline of Jef Road; thence turning and running along said sideline of Jef Road N3-37-50E, 13.82 feet to a point of curvature of radius 150.00 feet and a length of arc of 31.68 feet to a point of tangency; thence continuing along said sideline and tangent N15-43-50E, 120.14 feet to a point of curvature of radius 25.00 feet and a length of arc of 41.96 feet to a point of tangency at the southerly sideline of the aforementioned Partridge Road; thence continuing along said sideline and tangent N80-25-58W, 217.41 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 38,969 square feet and being subject to all easements of record;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 127. To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of land now owned by Montrose Realty Trust, being Lot 20 on a plan entitled "Wyman Heights," dated March 30, 1964, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly sideline of Partridge Road common to lot 20 and lot 21, thence turning and running S1-42-11W, 83.43 feet to a point; thence turning and running S50-22-08W, 135.18 feet to a corner at a wall, common lots 21, 20, land of Sheehan and Farmer; thence turning and running along said wall S79-29-28E, 287.71 feet to the corner common to lots 20, 19A, and land of Farmer; thence turning running N8-11-31W, 199.19 feet to the sideline of the aforementioned Partridge Road; thence turning and running along said sideline N80-25-58W, 150.00 feet to the point of beginning, containing 36,781 square feet. Subject to sewer and drain easements of record;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 128. To see if the Town will vote to accept a parcel of land now owned by J. E. Farmer, being Lot 45 on a plan dated March 18, 1964, showing revisions to the alignment of Jef Road and the changes in Lots 8 and 19 to Lots 8A and 19A, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly sideline of Jef Road at a wall at land of Montrose Realty Trust, thence turning and running N79-29-28W, 457.71 feet to a corner at land of Sheehan and Montrose Realty Trust; thence turning and running S14-16-33E, 334.90 feet to a corner common to lot 45 and lot 44; thence turning N89-44-47E, 352.25 feet to said sideline of Jef Road; thence turning and running on said sideline of Jef Road N3-37-50E, 240.00 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 111,756 square feet and being subject to sewer and drain easements of record;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 129. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Finance Committee, through a sub-committee elected from and by its members,

to investigate the advisability of accepting Chapter 101, Acts of 1953, of the General Court, pertaining to the establishment of a "Board of Public Works" and to hold hearings and take the necessary steps to properly bring this matter before the voters of the Town as outlined under the above mentioned Act; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Finance Committee

ARTICLE 130. To see if the Town will vote to have printed within the Town Report a listing of all taxable property in the Town, together with the amount of the taxes assessed against that property; and further to instruct the Board of Assessors to prepare and make available said list; and further to instruct the Board of Selectmen to cause the said list to be so published; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Finance Committee

ARTICLE 131. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a sum of money for a stabilization fund for capital outlays under the authority of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Finance Committee

ARTICLE 132. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash a sum of money to be used to apply to the 1966 tax rate; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Finance Committee

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof, one copy at the Town Hall, one copy at the Parker School, one copy at the Talbot School, one copy at the Ditson School, one copy at the Vining Schol, one copy at the Richardson School, one copy at the Dutile School, one copy at each of the Post Offices of the Town, and one copy at ten public places at least eight days before said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

PAUL F. NEWMAN
GEORGE E. LEWIS
DAVID G. McKENNA
STUART L. POTTER
RUSSELL A. YOUNG
Board of Selectmen

A true copy
Attest:

JOSEPH L. RYAN
Constable

WARRANT

FOR

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

BILLERICA, MASSACHUSETTS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.
To Any Constable in the Town of Billerica

Greetings:

You are hereby authorized and required to notify and warn the inhabitants and Town Meeting Members of said Town of Billerica, qualified by law to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet at the Billerica Memorial High School, Saturday, March 19, at 10:00 A.M., then and there to vote on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase, for the sum of one thousand dollars an acre, or take by eminent domain, in fee, for school building purposes, forty acres, more or less, of land situated on the easterly side of Allen Road in Billerica, Massachusetts, now owned by John D. Cooke and Ida B. Elfman, and described as follows:

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Submitted by Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of forty thousand dollars for the purchase or taking in fee for school building purposes, forty acres, more or less, of land situated on the easterly side of Allen Road in Billerica, Mass., now owned by John D. Cooke and Ida B. Elfman, and described as follows:

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Submitted by Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 392 of the Acts of 1964 which is an act authorizing the Town of Billerica to construct and operate a system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain temporary and permanent easements for the construction and operation of a system or systems of sewerage and sewerage disposal in and through certain lands of various owners, all as shown on a series of plans, each of which is entitled "Plan of easements in Billerica, Mass., for sewer main construction and maintenance as ordered by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, September, 1965, Emmons, Fleming and Bienvenu, Engineers and Surveyors" which plans are numbered 1-11 on file in the office of the Town Clerk; or take any action thereon.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,081,000.00 for the purpose of constructing water extensions of six (6) inch mains or larger, a force main over sixteen (16) inches in diameter, a standpipe, and additions and improvements to the existing water treatment plant, all substantially as recommended for the first stage of construction by the Town's Consulting Engineers, Camp, Dresser & McKee, in its report to the Town dated September 28, 1964; and authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire all necessary land and easements thereto by gift, by purchase or by seizure by right of eminent domain; and to determine whether the same shall be raised by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or by any combination of the foregoing; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and use any money that may become available for that purpose from the Federal and/or State Government; or take any other action relative thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

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Given under our hands this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

PAUL F. NEWMAN
GEORGE E. LEWIS
STUART L. POTTER
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A true copy
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THE BILLERICA PUBLISHING CO., INC.

IN MEMORIAM

MABEL FRANCES COWAN

DIED NOVEMBER 2, 1966

Age 87 Years

Beloved teacher in the Pollard School for many years prior to her retirement in 1943.

IN MEMORIAM

MALCOM J. DUTTON

DIED DECEMBER 11, 1966

Age 79 Years

Building Inspector 1951 to 1953

IN MEMORIAM

OLIVER PARKER GREENWOOD

DIED APRIL 1, 1966

Age 78 Years

A beloved community leader and at the time of his death was a member of the Billerica Housing Authority, Draft Board and a Town Meeting Member.

He also served on the Finance Committee, School Committee and various other committees throughout the town.

IN MEMORIAM

DR. SOLOMON GUNTHER HAJJAR

DIED DECEMBER 28, 1966

Age 59 Years

Beloved School Physician at the time of his death and served on the Board of Health from 1940 to 1942.

IN MEMORIAM

CHESTER INGRAHAM

DIED JULY 11, 1966

Age 52 Years

Beloved principal of the Howe Junior High during 1961 and principal of the Memorial High School from 1962 to the time of his death.

IN MEMORIAM

ELIOT K. PARKHURST

DIED DECEMBER 16, 1966

Age 59 Years

Assessor 1943 to 1948

IN MEMORIAM

CHARLES L. RITCHIE

DIED NOVEMBER 26, 1966

Old Orchard Beach, Maine

Age 71 Years

Member of the Board of Registrars 1946 to 1960

GENERAL INFORMATION

AREA: 25.96 square miles.

ALTITUDE: 375 feet above sea level.

INCORPORATED: May, 1655

POPULATION: 23,633 (1965 State Census)

DISTRICTS: Fifth Congressional, Sixth Councillor, Seventh Middlesex Senatorial and Nineteenth Middlesex Representative.

UNITED STATES SENATORS: Edward M. Kennedy of Boston and Edward W. Brooke of Newton.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS: F. Bradford Morse of Lowell.

COUNCILLOR: G. Edward Bradley of Somerville.

STATE SENATOR: Ronald C. MacKenzie of Burlington.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT: Stanley J. Bocko of Billerica.

ANNUAL ELECTION: First Saturday in March.

ANNUAL APPROPRIATION MEETING: Second Saturday in March.

OFFICES OPEN MONDAY EVENING: Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Assessors, Board of Health and Veterans' Agent.

SELECTMEN: Meet the first and third Monday of the month at 8:00 P.M.

QUALIFICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS VOTERS: Must be 21 years of age, American born and fully naturalized, and have resided in Massachusetts one year and Billerica six months. Registrations Monday through Friday 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and also Monday evening at the Office of the Town Clerk. Special evening sessions of Registrars held preceding elections.

ABSENTEE VOTING: State and National Elections.

DOG LICENSES: All dog licenses expire March 31st. A dog should be licensed when three months old. Fees: Male, $2.00; Female, $5.00; Spayed female, $2.00.

TAX BILLS: Due and payable July 1st. Interest will be added according to law from October 1st on bills unpaid after November 1st. Motor excise bills are due thirty days from date of issuance.

BOARD OF HEALTH: Householders shall report to the Board of Health all cases of communicable disease unless a physician is in attendance.

TAX RATE: $116.00 per $1000.00.

ASSESSED VALUATION:

Personal Estate	$ 2,400,560.00
Real Estate	31,332,710.00
Total Assessed Estate	$33,733,270.00

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

POLICE:

Emergency Calls Only 667-1212
For All Other Purposes 663-8443

FIRE:

To Report a Fire 663-3433
For All Other Business 663-6071

CIVIL DEFENSE 663-3464

For Information On:	Call	At
Aid to Dependent Children	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Assessments	Assessors	663-3591
Bills and Accounts	Accountant and Treasurer	667-7921 — 663-4321
Birth Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Building Permits	Inspections Dept.	663-4081
Cemetery		663-3448
Civil Defense	Director	663-3464
Death Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Disability Assistance Welfare	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Dog Licenses	Town Clerk	667-1512
Dogs - Lost and Found	Dog Officer	667-1212
Draft Board	Draft No. 99	663-3734
Elections and Registrations	Town Clerk	667-1512
Entertainment Licenses	Selectmen	667-1512
Fire Permits	Fire Department	663-3433
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping Licenses	Town Clerk	667-1512
Fuel Oil Storage	Fire Department	663-3433
Garbage Collection	Board of Health	663-8417 — 663-2611
Health	Board of Health	663-2611
Dumping Permits	Board of Health	663-2611
Industrial Commission	Town Clerk	667-1512
Library	Public Library	663-3183
Marriage Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Milk Inspection	Board of Health	663-2611
Commercial Code	Town Clerk	667-1512
Planning	Planning Board	
Public Works Department		663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235
Old Age Assistance	Welfare Department	663-2117
Playgrounds and Recreation		663-8097

School Department		
School Administration Bldg		
Supt. of Schools		667-9811 — 663-4612
Ditson School		663-2255
Frederick J. Dutile School		663-2131
Howe Jr. High		663-3621 — 663-4359
Guidance Office		663-4222
Memorial High		
	Dietician	663-4251
	Guidance Dept.	667-9984 — 663-8711
	Nurse	663-4212
	Principal	663-2065
	Vice-Principal	663-4274
	Maintenance	667-1161
Parker School		663-8244
Pollard School		663-3631
Talbot School		663-3705
Eugene C. Vining		663-4912
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Inspector	663-8817
Selectmen	Selectmen	663-8882
Sewers	Public Works Dept. 663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235	
Streets	Public Works Dept. 663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235	
Tax Assessments	Assessors	663-3591
Tax Collections	Tax Collector	663-8882
Tax Title	Town Treasurer	663-4321
Town Hall	Custodian	663-8882
Tree and Moth	663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235	
Town Accountant	Bills and Accounts	667-7921
Town Treasurer		663-4321
Veterans	Veterans' Service	663-3692
Voting and Registration	Board of Registrars	667-1512
Water	Public Works Dept. 663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235	
Water Collections	Town Treasurer	663-4321
Welfare	Public Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Wire Inspector	Albert J. Hughes	663-2138
Zoning	Inspections Dept.	663-4081

DIRECTORY

TOWN OFFICERS - 1966

ELECTED

		Term Expires
Selectmen	Paul F. Newman, Chmn.	March 1967
	Stuart L. Potter, V-Chmn.	March 1969
	Russell A. Young, Sec.	March 1968
	George E. Lewis	March 1968
	Donald W. Davis	March 1969
Moderator	Marion D. Gould	March 1967
Town Clerk	Mildred A. Westhaver	March 1969
Town Treasurer	Robert H. Fowler	Tenure
Collector of Taxes	John F. Monahan	March 1968
Assessors	Henry F. Collins Principal Assessor	March 1967
	Arthur C. Barnard	March 1969
	Austin P. Bent	March 1968
Board of Health	Frederick H. Gould, Chmn.	March 1969
	Frederick G. Brown, Co-Agent	March 1968
	Warren A. Hookway Co-Agent	March 1967
Board of Public Welfare	William J. Morris, Chmn.	March 1969
	James J. Torpey	March 1968
	Arthur R. Hallenborg	March 1967
School Committee	John T. Glavine, Chmn.	March 1967
	Paul J. Heffernan, V-Chmn.	March 1968
	Robert F. Loranger, Sec.	March 1969
	Irving Folk	March 1968
	Andrew T. Card	March 1969
Planning Board	Richard D. Manning, Chmn.	March 1968
	Gordon C. Brainerd	March 1967
	Arthur C. Fillmore	March 1971
	Vincent M. Padula	March 1970
	Thomas H. Conway, Jr.	March 1969
Cemetery Commissioners	Frederic H. Brown, Chmn.	March 1968
	Frank T. Dignon	March 1969
	Evelen A. Spaulding	March 1967
Constables	Joseph L. Ryan	March 1967
	Robert A. Olivieri	March 1967
Billerica Housing Authority	*Joseph H. Johnson, Chmn.	Aug. 26, 1966
	Leonard H. Harmon, V-Chmn.	March 1967
	William T. Desmond, Treas.	March 1970
	Ruth M. McCue, Sec.	March 1971
	Oliver P. Greenwood deceased 4/1/66	

* Appointed State Member of the Billerica Housing Authority

Regional Vocational School District	Everett McCue	March 1969

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

PRECINCT ONE

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Donald W. Davis
Bruce A. Brace
Laurence J. Greenwood
Mildred F. S. Knox
Frederick G. Brown
Andrew T. Card
Shirley E. Schult
Herbert C. Brown
Michael C. Clery
Leonard H. Harmon
John P. Makarevich

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Oliver P. Greenwood
deceased 4/1/66
Henry F. Collins
Edgar A. Williams
Helen M. Brainerd
Charles O. Hallenborg
Chester C. Sandberg
Irving Folk
Gilbert W. Griggs
Gladys C. Barnard
Robert A. Dunstan
Arthur C. Fillmore
Maurice J. Houlne
Morris Arakelian

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1967)

Gordon C. Brainerd
Frederic H. Brown
Daniel E. Canty, Jr.
Roger L. Foster
Frederick H. Gould
Marion D. Gould
Arthur R. Hallenborg
John W. Trainor
F. Virginia Williams
James M. Burke, Jr.
Robert E. Hentz
Thomas F. Powers
Philip H. Taylor

Elected by Members of Precinct 1

Jerome R. D'Addeo

PRECINCT TWO

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Robert F. Loranger
Major M. Cousens
Joseph A. Faria
Russell A. Young
Eliot K. Parkhurst, 12/16/66
Roland Poirier
George E. Lewis
Frank G. Fowler
Raymond F. McColough
William G. Harmon
Theodore E. Forsley
Richard G. Penney
James F. McNulty
Robert H. Moore
Franklyn J. McCaffrey
John F. Nugent
Paul J. Hayes

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Conrad LaFrance
O. Edward Dutile
Mary H. Dutile
Charles J. Faria
Frances A. Collins
Charles D. Burke
Dorothy H. Honnors
James H. McBride
Arthur L. Eno, Jr.
Hazel M. Burke
Ruth A. Conway
Beatrice B. Brigham
James F. Calder
Michael Tomyl

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1967)

Stanley J. Bocko
Lawrence O. Bourque
Ernest C. Burke
Richard F. Conway
Thomas H. Conway, Jr.
Thomas H. Conway, Sr.
Lloyd J. Crandall, Jr.
John F. Jacobs
Mary G. McBride
John F. McBride
Elizabeth F. McCarthy
Frederick H. Murray
Marion E. Potter
Stuart L. Potter
Raymond F. Trainor
Albert A. Dickinson
Ruth M. Dickinson
Agnes C. McColough

PRECINCT THREE

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Maurice A. Bent
Alice E. Donovan
Donna M. Flavin
Livio A. Buono
John P. Fitzgerald
Mary B. Leahy
Vincent M. Padula
James J. Galvin
Austra Upley
William T. Desmond
Lorraine F. Donovan
Francis B. MacDonald
Alfred Gladstone
Pauline C. Desmond
Mary A. Pasho
Thomas J. Mahoney
Kathryn E. Sullivan
Merle B. True

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Paul F. Newman
Albert E. Boutwell
Arthur A. Curry
Christina C. Kelly
Rose E. Kelm
Joseph A. Havey
Timothy P. Leahy
Josephine M. Berry
Joseph A. Butler
Harry N. Gillis
Patrick B. Brien
Walter D. Donovan
Beverly K. Smith
Charles J. Sullivan
John E. Farmer
Paul Gladstone

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1967)

Hartwell W. Bernard
Bartholomew J. Burns
Anthony E. Capaldo
Alice F. Donovan
John W. Fleming, Jr.
Marguerite E. Gill
Sumner Gladstone
Francis L. Kelly, Jr.
Chester A. Pasho
Joseph L. Sullivan
James M. Battcock
Francis E. Kepple
Harry E. Newman
James A. Shaw

Elected by Members of Precinct 3

Margaret M. McGrath
Frederick P. McKay

PRECINCT FOUR

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Paul J. Heffernan
John Dwyer
John J. B. Arseneaux
Everett McCue
William R. Lee
Carl H. Tobey, Jr.
Harry L. Norman
Helen C. Hyatt
Ruth M. McCue
Canute W. Lee

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

William H. Lavery
John W. Dolan
Kenneth J. Powderly
Ralph R. Bacon
Bessie M. Bacon
Robert F. Sweeney
Joseph S. Collentro
Stasia J. Rudgis
George E. Jacobson
Manuel J. Furtado
Edith M. Powderly

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1967)

Rita M. Smith
Frank C. Theodoropoulos
Franklin G. Dustin
Alice D. Hosmer
Bertha M. Lyons

Elected by Members of Precinct 4

Freeling McDewell

PRECINCT FIVE

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Howard J. Ralston
Gerald A. Finlayson
Charles A. Ayers
Florence M. Field
Edward D. Shane
Edward J. Bastek
Lawrence G. Murray
Anna M.. Buffum
Roger G. Seymour
Donald W. Fudge
Howard D. Taylor
Ralph R. Martino
Lorraine J. Allen

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

William F. Burns
Elizabeth A. Johnson
Frank T. Dignon
Kenneth L. Buffum
Thomas K. McGuire
David G. McKenna
Marcello Olivieri
Mary M. Harring
Robert K. Fresolo
John K. Summers
Paul M. Sullivan
Thomas P. Joyce
Francis W. Downes
Andrew J. DeCaro, Jr.
Charles E. Allen

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1967)

Eldridge W. Buffum
Theodore N. Colas
Henry D. Gaffney, Jr.
Richard D. George, Jr.
Alf N. Hedberg
Robert E. Seeley
George E. Winn
Francis X. Halliday
John J. Harmon
Leonard F. Wooding
Donald R. Golden, Sr.
Harry S. Brown
Daniel P. Melillo
John P. Sullivan

PRECINCT SIX

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Walter T. Galvin
Hugh A. Manetta
Kenneth T. Keefe
Margaret M. Hamilton
George F. Livingston
S. Robert Fox, Jr.
Elizabeth A. Bergeron
Edward J. Brennan
Thomas J. Kilday
Bryant L. Perry
Bernard N. Winslow

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Joseph Revane
Philip H. Lewien
Leo F. Virgin
Gustav Wagner
James D. Sanford
Nellie M. Brannen
Raoul R. Dionne
John W. Bates, Jr.
Joseph T. Finnell, Jr.
Daniel V. Williams
Marcia S. Clark

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1967)

Walter W. Arakelian
Shirley J. Brannen
Angelo P. DeBenectis
Warren A. Hookway
Richard D. Manning
Mariano T. Botelho
George Clark
Charles F. Fitzgerald
Roger C. Gosselin
Allan Jay Johnson
John J. McLaughlin, Sr.
Michael T. Revane
George J. Young, Jr.

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS AT LARGE

John F. Monahan
Robert H. Fowler
William J. Morris
John T. Glavine
Paul F. Newman
Lewis M. Daniels
Frederic H. Brown
Howard J. Ralston
Joseph L. Ryan
Paul H. Roper
Ralph J. McKenna
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
Mildred A. Westhaver
George R. Cushman
Henry F. Collins
Arthur A. Curry
Charles A. Considine
Charles W. MacRannolds
Richard D. Manning
Frederick H. Gould
Joseph H. Johnson

APPOINTED

Town Accountant	Ralph J. McKenna
Assistant Town Clerk	Alton E. Westhaver
Board of Registrars	Lewis M. Daniels, Chairman George L. Grantz Canute W. Lee Mildred A. Westhaver, Clerk ex officio
Chief of Police Department	Joseph L. Ryan
Chief of Fire Department	Paul H. Roper
Public Works Administrator	Henry A. Racicot
Supt. of Highway	James F. Connors
Supt. of Water Department	Walter R. Sullivan
Moth Supt. and Tree Warden	George F. Williams
Building Inspector	Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
Asst. Intermitt. Bldg Inspector	William H. Moore, Jr.
Plumbing and Gas Inspector	Kenneth J. Powderly
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Charles A. Considine
Dog Officer and Cattle Inspector	Leo E. LeBlanc
Board of Health Nurse	Helen J. Harrington, R.N.
Inspector of Slaughtering	John R. Brown
Supt. of Schools	Frederick C. Riel
Asst. Supt. of Schools	William H. Flaherty, Jr.
School Physicians	Dr. Orland S. Marshall Dr. S. Gunther Hajjar deceased 12/28/66
School Nurses	Rita P. Freeman, R.N. Helen J. Rynne, R.N. Eileen Grady, R.N. Mary M. Nimmo, R.N. resigned 8/1/66 Ellen L. Knowles appointed 9/1/66
Board of Public Welfare	Richard F. Conway Director of Public Assistance
Veterans' Agent	Chester C. Sandberg

Appeal Board	Joseph H. Johnson, Chairman
	Ellis E. Cram
	Frederick H. Murray
	Robert A. Dunstan
	Michael Tomyl
Alternates	Roger J. Bigold
	Bruce A. Brace
Forest Warden	Paul H. Roper
Civil Defense Director	Charles J. Faria
Wire Inspector	Albert J. Hughes
	Humphrey F. Desmond
Industrial Commission	Arthur A. Curry, Chairman
	Claire H. Stoker, Secretary
	Gustav Wagner
	Kenneth L. Buffum
	Livio A. Buono
	Mildred A. Westhaver
	Henry F. Collins
	Raymond F. McColough
	William L. Reynolds
	George E. Lewis
	Joseph A. Butler
	Leonard H. Harmon
	James H. McBride
	Joseph M. Burke
Sanitarian	Robert W. Rimbach, R.S.
Health Agent	Richard R. Albanese appointed 8/15/66

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Jerome R. D'Addeo, Chairman ..... Term Expires 1968
Resigned: Sept. 15, 1966
Robert E. Hentz, Vice-Chairman ..... Term Expires 1968
Margaret M. McGrath, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1967
John C. Gherson ..... Term Expires 1969
Philip H. Taylor ..... Term Expires 1969
Howard J. Ralston ..... Term Expires 1968
Samuel W. Lunt ..... Term Expires 1968
John P. Fitzgerald ..... Term Expires 1968
ernard Morris ..... Term Expires 1967
Resigned: Dec. 20, 1966
John F. McBride ..... Term Expires 1967
Resigned: Oct. 20, 1966
Gerald A. Finlayson ..... Term Expires 1967
Stephen Berecz ..... Term Expires 1967
to fill vacancy of John F. McBride
Howard J. Ralston appointed Chairman on September 15, 1966
Francis W. Downes appointed to fill unexpired term of Jerome R. D'Addeo — Resigned December 1966

STUDY OF THE METHODS OF SELLING THE LOTS OF LOW VALUE TO THE TOWN

Austin P. Bent, Chairman
Gustav Wagner, Vice-Chairman
Christina C. Kelly, Secretary
Lawrence J. DeBenedictis
George R. Cushman

COMMITTEES PREVIOUSLY APPOINTED

BY-LAWS CODIFICATION COMMITTEE

Paul F. Newman, Chairman
Mildred A. Westhaver, Secretary
Arthur A. Curry

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Eliot K. Parkhurst, Chairman
Deceased Dec. 16, 1966
John W. Fleming, Jr., Secretary
Thomas P. Harrington
Chester D. Ingraham
Deceased July 11, 1966
Robert M. Gill
Edward M. Bowe
Frederick C. Riel
Alton E. Westhaver

PERSONNEL BOARD

Charles W. MacRannolds, Chairman	Term Expires 1967
Robert H. Margeson, Vice-Chairman	Term Expires 1968
Stasia J. Rudgis, Secretary	Term Expires 1971
Frederick G. Morris	Term Expires 1971
Robert A. Olivieri	Term Expires 1969

TAX MAP COMMITTEE

Gustav Wagner, Chairman
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis, Secretary
Raymund J. Roche

RECREATION COMMITTEE

George R. Cushman, Chairman - Precinct 3
Frank P. Bernarducci, Secretary - Precinct 1
Joseph L. Ryan - Precinct 2 Jeremiah B. Mulcahy - Precinct 4
Marcello Olivieri - Precinct 5

WATER COMMITTEE

Ralph R. Bacon, Chairman	Precinct 4
Shirley J. Brannen, Vice-Chairman	Precinct 6
John A. Harrington, Secretary	Precinct 1
Frank J. McNulty - resigned 8/1/66	Precinct 2
Ernest C. Dick	Precinct 3
Roger W. Hodgdon	Precinct 5

PERMANENT SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Vincent M. Padula, Chairman
John T. Glavine, Vice-Chairman
Robert F. Loranger, Secretary

Thomas F. Powers William H. Lavery
Donald W. Davis Gerald A. Finlayson

NORTH BILLERICA FIRE STATION COMMITTEE

Lawrence O. Bourque, Chairman
Arthur R. Hallenborg, Vice-Chairman — Resigned
Theodore N. Colas, Secretary

Charles J. Sullivan Paul H. Roper Roger C. Gosselin

TRAFFIC CONTROL COMMITTEE

Stanley J. Bocko, Chairman
George E. Lewis, Vice-Chairman
Mildred F. S. Knox, Secretary

Joseph L. Ryan Donald N. Schult
Kenneth N. Lewis Berkeley W. Cue

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

John T. Glavine to serve to Annual Town Meeting — 1967

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

COUNCIL FOR THE AGING

George R. Cushman, Chairman
Katherine R. White, Secretary

Frederick H. Gould
Dr. Warren A. Hookway
Ralph J. McKenna
Frederick C. Riel
Richard F. Conway
Helen A. Grimes
Rev. Lloyd F. Martin

COMMITTEE FOR UPDATING THE BUILDING CODE

Philip H. Taylor, Chairman
James A. Shaw, Vice-Chairman
Thomas J. Mahoney, Secretary

Arthur C. Fillmore
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Gustav Wagner, Chairman
Florence M. Field, Secretary

John P. Fitzgerald
Joseph H. Johnson
Charles O. Hallenborg
Joseph Gallant
Howard J. Ralston

MEMBERS OF BILLERICA HISTORICAL SOCIETY COMMISSION

Robert E. Valyou, Chairman
Frederick L. Lawson, Vice-Chairman
Helen I. Magee, Secretary

William T. Desmond
Neil R. Mahoney
Stuart L. Potter
Isabel C. Jahnle
Richard D. Manning
Mildred A. Westhaver

VOTE FOR TOWN OFFICERS IN MARCH, 1966

Under the foregoing warrant the following votes were cast:

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Prec. 6	Total
SELECTMEN (3 Years)							
David G. McKenna	148	296	256	151	221	117	1189
Stuart L. Potter	469	630	309	270	344	208	2230
Donald W. Davis	458	411	412	289	428	235	2233
John P. Fitzgerald	55	74	338	57	85	95	704
Manuel J. Furtado	26	28	33	51	27	80	245
John J. McLaughlin	188	434	270	225	194	374	1685
Frank C. Theodoropoulos	67	113	100	116	73	114	583
Blanks	97	166	162	97	96	147	765
Total	1508	2152	1880	1256	1468	1370	9634
TOWN CLERK (3 Years)							
Mildred A. Westhaver	486	713	636	364	443	393	3035
Marcia S. Clark	241	331	291	247	276	278	1664
Blanks	27	32	13	17	15	14	118
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817
MODERATOR (1 Year)							
Marion D. Gould	600	852	778	536	618	569	3953
Blanks	154	224	162	92	116	116	864
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817
ASSOCIATE ASSESSOR (3 Years)							
Arthur C. Barnard	629	843	764	516	599	557	3908
Blanks	125	233	176	112	135	128	909
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817
BOARD OF HEALTH (3 Years)							
Frederick H. Gould	489	623	485	330	389	306	2622
Walter T. Galvin	229	372	401	259	300	341	1902
Blanks	36	81	54	39	45	38	293
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE (3 Years)

William J. Morris	582	883	745	485	596	541	3832
Blanks	172	193	195	143	138	144	985
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE (Unex. Tem - 1 Year)

Arthur R. Hallenborg	528	532	508	353	440	307	2668
Joseph R. Plourde	182	476	351	209	207	316	1741
Blanks	44	68	81	66	87	62	408
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Years)

Kenneth L. Buffum	253	477	491	274	306	306	2107
Robert F. Loranger	344	721	380	225	248	266	2184
Andrew T. Card	480	459	348	348	467	345	2447
George F. Hickey, Jr.	296	263	454	288	325	305	1931
Blanks	135	232	207	121	122	148	965
Total	1508	2152	1880	1256	1468	1370	9634

PLANNING BOARD (5 Years)

Arthur C. Fillmore	319	558	495	309	345	318	2344
Gustav Wagner	400	440	375	265	361	328	2169
Blanks	35	78	70	54	28	39	304
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

CEMETERY COMMISSION (3 Years)

Frank T. Dignon	623	855	773	503	615	558	3927
Blanks	131	221	167	125	119	127	890
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY (5 Years)

Ruth M. McCue	465	539	365	322	380	298	2369
James J. Galvin	225	400	510	242	294	332	2003
Blanks	64	137	65	64	60	55	445
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY (Unex. Term - 1 Year)

Leonard H. Harmon	428	632	449	324	427	354	2614
Frances L. Kelly, Jr.	225	315	415	225	255	253	1688
Blanks	101	129	76	79	52	78	515
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE (3 Years)

Everett McCue	583	752	741	488	593	540	3697
Blanks	171	324	199	140	141	145	1120
Total	754	1076	940	628	734	685	4817

CONSTABLES (1 Year)

Robert A. Olivieri	542	778	620	397	497	405	3239
Joseph L. Ryan	560	793	691	407	483	460	3394
Bernard W. Hart	199	239	267	222	277	264	1468
Blanks	207	342	302	230	211	241	1533
Total	1508	2152	1880	1256	1468	1370	9634

REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN ON THE ARTICLES OF THE WARRANT OF TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 12, 1966

The meeting was called to order at 10:30 A.M., by the Town Clerk, Mildred A. Westhaver, in the absence of the Moderator, Marion D. Gould. The Town Clerk explained that the Moderator was detained in Jamaica due to the serious illness of her husband.

New Town Meeting Members not previously sworn were sworn in by Precincts by the Town Clerk.

The following were appointed Tellers by the Town Clerk and sworn in: Ralph R. Bacon, Shirley J. Brannen and Marcello Olivieri.

Invocation was offered by Reverend Paul Bolduc of St. Mary's Parish.

The meeting joined in singing the National Anthem, led by Suzanne White, accompanied by Elizabeth L. Johnson at the piano.

The Town Clerk explained that in the absence of the elected Moderator the first order of business was to elect a Moderator pro tem. It was moved and unanimously voted that Richard F. Conway be elected Moderator pro tem.

At the request of Mr. Conway the meeting stood in silence for a short period in memory of William J. Thompson, fellow citizen and Town Meeting Member.

The Moderator was given unanimous consent to omit the reading of the articles and to refer to them by subject matter.

Voted unanimously to dispense with the reading of the Warrant and return of service, and proceed with the order of the day.

ARTICLE 1. The name of Stella C. Marshall was nominated. VOTED unanimously to elect Stella C. Marshall to the Bowers Fund Commission for a term of five years.

ARTICLE 2. VOTED to appoint the Board of Selectmen as Fence Viewers. It was moved and voted that Constables Joseph L. Ryan and Robert A. Olivieri as Keepers of the Lock-up. It was moved and VOTED to appoint Thomas Connell and Robert Innis as Surveyors of Wood and Lumber.

ARTICLE 3. The report of the By-Law Codification Committee was read by Paul F. Newman. VOTED that the report be accepted and the Committee continued.

Charles W. MacRannolds reported for the Personnel Board and referred to the booklet issued by the Finance Committee for written report of this Board.

Eliot K. Parkhurst reported for the Junior High School Building Committee. Voted that the report be accepted as read.

John D. O'Brien reported for the Recreation Committee. VOTED that the report be accepted as read.

Voted that the report of the Tax Map Committee be deferred until immediately following the Special Town Meeting to be held March 19, 1966.

Voted that the report of the Water Committee be deferred until immediately prior to consideration of Article 110.

Edward Wellington reported for the River Pines Playground Committee. VOTED that the River Pines Playground Committee be dismissed. The work of this Committee was completed. The River Pines Playground Committee was given a rising vote of thanks for their excellent work.

VOTED that the report of the Permanent School Building Committee be read immediately prior to the Special Town Meeting next Saturday.

VOTED that the report of the North Billerica Fire Station Committee be deferred until just prior to consideration of Article 22.

John T. Glavine reported for the Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee. VOTED that the report be accepted as read, that the Committee be dismissed, and given a rising vote of thanks for an excellent job.

Ruth M. McCue reported for the Billerica Housing Authority, referring to the report of this Committee printed in the Town Report. VOTED to dispense with the reading of this report.

VOTED that the report of the Board of Health Sanitation Committee to read just prior to consideration or Article 50.

Philip H. Taylor reported for the Building Code Committee. VOTED that the report be accepted as read, the Committee retained and requested to report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

All Committee reports are placed on file with the Town Clerk.

The Moderator explained the pass system to be used under Article 4. Voted that the sums stated under this article be raised and appropriated for those items which were not passed.

ARTICLE 4. Under Article 4 the following amounts were voted:

100	Selectmen	
101	Salaries	$ 5,000.00
102	Clerk Wages	600.00
103	Expenses	1,360.00
104	Out of State Travel	300.00
110	Accountant	
111	Salaries	7,162.00
112	Clerk Wages	1,500.00
113	Expenses	570.00
114	Capital Outlay	150.00
120	Treasurer	
121	Salary	6,319.00

122	Clerk Wages	7,567.00
123	Expenses	1,746.00
124	Perfecting Tax Titles	500.00
125	Other Finance Expenses	200.00
126	Out of State Travel	100.00
127	Capital Outlay	600.00
130	Collector of Taxes	
131	Salary	7,583.00
132	Clerk Wages	9,303.00
133	Expenses	3,150.00
134	Tax Sale Expense	450.00
140	Assessors	
141	Salary (Principal)	7,372.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)	3,000.00
143	Clerk Wages	11,102.00
144	Expenses	4,000.00
145	Capital Outlay	50.00
150	Town Clerk	
151	Salary	6,846.00
152	Clerk Wages	3,977.00
153	Expenses	1,756.00
154	Capital Outlay	150.00
155	Out of State Travel	200.00
160	Board of Registrars	
161	Salaries	1,000.00
162	Clerk Wages	3,977.00
163	Expenses	3,750.00
164	Capital Outlay	150.00
165	Election Department	
166	Salaries	6,000.00
167	Expenses	1,925.00
168	Capital Outlay	400.00
170	Town Hall	
171	Salary	5,423.00
172	Vacation Replacement	400.00
173	Expenses	3,250.00
175	Legal Department	
176	Expenses	5,000.00
177	Small Claims	1,000.00
180	Finance Committee	
181	Expenses	900.00
182	Clerk Wages	600.00
185	Planning Board	
186	Clerk Wages	680.00
187	Expenses	1,690.00
188	Engineering Service	6,800.00
190	Board of Appeals	

191	Expenses	1,000.00
192	Clerk Wages	350.00
195	Personnel Board	
196	Expenses	130.00
197	Capital Outlay	25.00
200	Police Department	
201	Salaries	222,592.00
202	Clerk Wages	1,050.00
203	Expenses	21,518.00
204	Ambulance Expenses	1,300.00
205	Capital Outlay	518.00
206	Matron Services	600.00
210	Fire Department	
211	Salaries	282,221.00
212	Clerk Wages	2,500.00
213	Expenses	21,625.00
214	Forest Fire Patrol	200.00
220	Civil Defense	
221	Salary	1,300.00
222	Clerk Wages	850.00
223	Expenses	3,950.00
230	Building Department	
231	Salaries	16,998.00
232	Clerk Wages	4,244.20
233	Expenses	3,325.00
234	Demolition	200.00
235	Out of State Travel	100.00
236	Capital Outlay	60.00
240	Wire Inspector	
241	Salary	1,800.00
242	Asst. Salary	800.00
243	Expenses	400.00
250	Sealer of Weights	
251	Salary	1,000.00
252	Expenses	600.00
260	Dog Officer	
261	Salary	1,600.00
262	Expenses	851.00
263	Use of Kennels	100.00
300	Cattle Inspector	
301	Salary	250.00
310	Board of Health	
311	Salaries	3,100.00
312	Clerk Wages	600.00
313	Expenses	5,762.00
314	Dump	1,000.00
315	Garbage Contract	28,500.00

316	Hospitalization	10,000.00
318	Engineering Services	200.00
320	Public Health Nurse	
321	Salary	5,301.00
322	Expenses	1,200.00
323	Vacation Replacement	432.00
330	Milk Inspector	
331	Salary	1,950.00
332	Expenses	700.00
400	Public Works	
401	Salaries	249,486.00
402	Overtime	13,900.00
404	Expenses	32,500.00
405	Street Numbering	0.00
410	Highway Department	
411	Expenses	17,300.00
412	Equipment Rental	4,500.00
413	Road Machine	5,000.00
414	Tar and Oil	30,000.00
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,500.00
416	Chapter 90 Construction	11,900.00*
417	Snow and Sand	80,000.00
418	Street Lighting	26,760.00
419	Bituminous Concrete	20,000.00
420	Surveys & Engineering	3,000.00
450	Water Department	
451	Expenses	46,750.00
452	Chemicals & Lab Supp.	22,500.00
460	Park & Tree Department	
461	Expenses	3,000.00
462	Poison Ivy	500.00
463	Moth Control	1,000.00
464	Parks & Playgrounds	2,500.00
465	Dutch Elm	1,000.00
470	Sewerage Department	
471	Expenses	3,500.00
500	Welfare Department	
501	Salaries	12,980.00
502	Administration	500.00
503	Outside Cities	1,000.00
510	Welfare Benefits	
511	To Be Appropriated	209,700.00
570	Department of Veterans' Services	
571	Salary	1,500.00
572	Expenses	450.00
573	Clerk Wages	850.00

575	Benefit Payments	75,000.00
600	School Department	
601	Salaries & Wages	2,192,993.00
602	Expenses	527,739.00
603	Out of State Travel	200.00
604	Vocational Education	8,000.00
650	Regional Vocational School	
651	Appropriation	10,397.96
700	Maturing Debt & Interest	
701	Standpipe Construction	4,000.00
702	Water Works	30,000.00
703	Water Mains (1954)	10,000.00
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00
705	Water Mains (1956)	20,000.00
706	Ditson School	20,000.00
707	Parker School	35,000.00
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00
709	Nuttings Lake School	35,000.00
711	Jr. High Addition	80,000.00
712	Dutile School	35,000.00
713	J.F. Kennedy School	60,000.00
714	Sewer & Building	20,000.00
715	Sewer Bonds	60,000.00
716	Fire Station	20,000.00
750	Interest Payments	
751	Bond Interest	174,344.00
752	Short Term Interest	20,000.00
800	Recreation Commission	
801	Salaries	10,270.00
802	Expenses	3,570.00
803	Golden Age	500.00
810	Cemetery	
811	Salaries	13,000.00
812	Expenses	1,600.00
850	Unclassified	
851	Town Report	3,131.40
852	Memorial Day	850.00
853	Building Insurance	12,000.00
854	Group Insurance	41,500.00
855	Workingmen's Comp.	4,000.00
856	V. F. W.	200.00
857	D. A. V.	200.00
858	V. F. W.	200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk	275.00
890	Reserve Fund	21,669.58*
TOTAL BUDGET		$5,265,576.14

VOTED to set the salaries of elected officials as follows:

Selectmen	5,000.00
Treasurer	6,365.00
Tax Collector	7,638.00
Assessors (Principal)	7,426.00
Associate Assessors	3,000.00
Town Clerk	6,896.00
Board of Health	3,100.00
Public Welfare	900.00

A resolution was made and passed that the Town of Billerica commends our Treasurer who has just been elected President of the Treasurers and Collectors Association of Massachusetts.

The following action was taken on items that were passed under Article 4:

Item 102, Selectmen, Clerk Wages. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for Selectmen, Clerk Wages.

Item 103. Selectmen Expenses. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,360.00 for Selectmen Expenses.

Item 104. Selectmen, Out of State Travel. A motion was made that no appropriation be made for Out of State Travel under this item. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and VOTED. The sum of $300.00 for Selectmen, Out of State Travel was so VOTED.

Item 111. Accountant Salary. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,162.00 for Accountant Salary.

A motion was made that we adjourn for lunch and return at 1:00 P.M. Meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon.

1:30 P.M. Quorum—151

Item 111-continued. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,416.00 for this item and this motion was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and put to a rising VOTE with 61 VOTES in the affirmative and 97 in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,162.00 for Accountant Salary was so VOTED. During the discussion it was brought out that the Finance Committee was recommending a three per cent increase in salary for Town employees and the Personnel Board was recommending a five per cent increase on full time salaries under their jurisdiction.

Item 112. Accountant, Clerk Wages. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for Accountant, Clerk Wages. This motion was lost, and the motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for Accountant, Clerk Wages was so VOTED.

Item 113. Accountant, Expenses. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $570.00 for Accountant, Expenses.

Item 114. Accountant, Capital Outlay. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 for Accountant, Capital Outlay.

Item 121. Treasurer Salary. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,319.00 for Treasurer Salary.

Item 122. Treasurer, Clerk Wages. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,567.00 for Treasurer, Clerk Wages.

Item 125. Treasurer, Other Finance Expenses. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for Treasurer, Other Finance Expenses.

Item 126, Treasurer, Out of State Travel. A motion was made that no appropriation be made for Treasurer, Out of State Travel. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for this item and this was so VOTED.

Item 131. Collector of Taxes, Salary. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,583.00 for Collector of Taxes, Salary. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,100.00 for this item and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,583.00 for Collector of Taxes, Salary, was so VOTED.

Item 132. Collector of Taxes, Clerk Wages. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,303.00 for Collector of Taxes, Clerk Wages.

Item 133. Collector of Taxes, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,150.00 for Collector of Taxes, Expenses.

Item 141. Assessors Salary (Principal). A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,372.00 for Principal Assessors Salary. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,372.00 for Principal Assessors Salary was so VOTED.

Item 142. Assessors Salaries, (Associates). VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for Associate Assessors Salaries.

Item 143. Assessors, Clerk Wages. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $11,102.00 for Assessors, Clerk Wages.

Item 151. Town Clerk Salary. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,846.00 for Town Clerk Salary.

Item 152. Town Clerk, Clerk Wages. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,977.00 for Town Clerk, Clerk Wages.

Item 155. Town Clerk, Out of State Travel. A motion was made to indefinitely postpone Item 155. This was followed by three motions, one to raise and appropriate $100.00 under this item, the next to raise and appropriate $300.00, and the next to raise and appropriate $200.00. The motion to raise and appropriate $300.00 for Item 155 was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate $200.00 for Item 155 was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and put to a rising VOTE. There were 99 VOTES in the affirmative and 44 VOTES in the negative and the motion for $200.00 was carried.

Item 162. Board of Registrars, Clerk Wages. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,977.00 for Board of Registrars, Clerk Wages.

Item 171. Town Hall, Salary. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,423.00 for Town Hall, Salaries.

Item 172. Town Hall, Vacation Replacement. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for Town Hall, Vacation Replacement, with the amendment to add the words and Sick Replacement.

Item 176. Legal Department, Expenses. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for Legal Department, Expenses. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 under this item. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice VOTE on the $7,000.00 motion and called for a rising VOTE. There were 64 VOTES in the affirmative and 94 VOTES in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for Legal Department, Expenses, was so VOTED.

Item 177. Legal Department, Small Claims. VOTED to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for Legal Department, Small Claims.

Item 182. Finance Committee, Clerk Wages. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for Finance Committee, Clerk Wages. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 under this item. The motion for $600.00 was put to a VOTE and declared so VOTED by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising VOTE. There were 94 votes in the affirmative and 46 votes in the negative and the motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for Finance Committee Clerk Wages, was so voted.

A motion was made to reconsider Item 182, Finance Committee, Clerk Wages. After discussion, the previous question was moved and unanimously voted with 148 affirmative votes. The motion to reconsider this item was put to a rising vote with 50 votes in the affirmative and 90 votes in the negative and the motion was lost.

Item 186. Planning Board, Clerk Wages. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $680.00 for Planning Board, Clerk Wages.

Item 188. Planning Board, Engineering Service. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,800.00 for Planning Board, Engineering Services.

Item 201. Police Department, Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $222,592.00 for Police Department, Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $225,527.00 for Police Department Salaries. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of the voice vote in the $225,527.00 motion and called for a rising vote. There were 68 votes in the affirmative and 100 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $222,592.00 for Police Department, Salaries, was so voted.

Item 202. Police Department, Clerk Wages. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,050.00 for Police Department, Clerk Wages.

Item 203. Police Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $21,518.00 for Police Department, Expenses.

Item 204. Police Department, Ambulance Expense. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,300.00, for Police Department, Ambulance Expense.

Item 205. Police Department, Capital Outlay. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $518.00 for Police Department, Capital Outlay.

Item 206. Police Department, Matron Services. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $600.00 for Police Department, Matron Services.

Item 211. Fire Department, Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $282,221.00 for Fire Department Salaries. Notice was served for later consideration of Item 201. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $288,806.00 for Fire Department Salaries and this motion was lost. An amendment to the original motion of $282,221.00 was made that call firemen be paid at the rate of $2.40 per hour when they answer alarms and this motion was so voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $282,221.00 for Fire Department Salaries was so voted.

Item 212. Fire Department, Clerk Wages. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for Fire Department, Clerk Wages.

Item 213. Fire Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $21,625.00 for Fire Department, Expenses.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Item 201. This motion was put to a rising vote with 21 votes in the affirmative and 98 votes in the negative and the motion was lost.

Item 231. Building Department, Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $16,998.00 for Building Department, Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $17,287.75 under this item and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $16,998.00 for Building Department, Salaries, was so voted.

Item 232. Building Department, Clerk Wages. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,977.00 for Building Department, Clerk Wages. Following action on Item 235, a motion was made for reconsideration of Item 232 and this motion was passed on a rising vote of 92 votes in the affirmative and 29 votes in the negative. A motion was made that the sum of $267.20 be added to the amount of $3,977.00 making a total of $4,244.20 for Building Department, Clerk Wages, and the amount of $4,244.20 was declared so voted by the Moderator. The additional $267.20 was added for vacation and sick replacement. The decision of the Moderator was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,244.20 for Building Department, Clerk Wages, was put to a rising vote with 87 votes in the affirmative and 40 in the negative and the motion was carried.

Item 233. Building Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,325.00 for Building Department, Expenses.

Item 234. Demolition. Voted to raise and appropriate $200.00 for Demolition.

Item 235. Building Department, Out of State Travel. A motion was made that action on Item 235 be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for Building Department, Out of State Travel, and this was so voted.

Item 243. Wire Inspector, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for Wire Inspector, Expenses.

Item 261. Dog Officer, Salary. Voted to postpone action on Item 261 until immediately following Article 58.

Item 262. Dog Officer, Expenses. Voted to postpone action on Item 262 until immediately following action on Item 261 immediately after Article 58.

Item 263. Dog Officer, Use of Kennels. Voted to postpone action on Item 263 until immediately following action on Item 262. The Chairman of the Board of Selectmen was requested to ask the Dog Officer to be present at the next meeting.

Item 301. Cattle Inspector, Salary. Voted to postpone action on Item 301 until immediately following action on Item 263.

Item 314. Board of Health, Dump. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for Board of Health, Dump. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,500.00 under this item, and that all outside dumping except for the Town of Billerica be stopped.

The question of a quorum was raised. Voted to adjourn at 5:15 P.M.

MARCH 15, 1966 7:55 P.M.

A count for a quorum showed 153 Town Meeting Members Present.

Item 314. (continued) The motion for $8,500.00 was lost. Voted to raise and appropriate $1,000.00 for the dump.

Item 315. Garbage Contract. Voted to raise and appropriate $28,500.00 for the Garbage Contract.

Item 316. Hospitalization. Voted to raise and appropriate $10,000.00 for Hospitalization.

Reconsideration of Item 314 was lost with 45 voting in the affirmative and 86 in the negative.

Item 318. Board of Health, Engineering Services. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for Engineering Services under Item 318.

Item 321. Public Health Nurse. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,301.00 for Public Health Nurse, Salary.

Item 322. Public Health Nurse, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,200.00 for Public Health Nurse, Expenses.

Item 323. Public Health Nurse, Vacation Replacement. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $432.00 for Public Health Nurse, Vacation Replacement.

Item 331. Milk Inspector, Salary. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,950.00 for Milk Inspector, Salary.

Item 401. Public Works, Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $246,486.00 for Public Works, Salaries. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $249,486.00 for Public Works, Salaries, and this was so voted.

Item 402. Public Works, Overtime. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $13,900.00 for Public Works, Overtime.

Item 404. Public Works, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $32,500.00 for Public Works, Expenses.

Item 405. Public Works, Street Numbering. Voted to indefinitely postpone Item 405.

Item 411. Highway Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $17,300.00 for Highway Department, Expenses.

Item 412. Highway Department, Equipment Rental. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,500.00 for Highway Department, Equipment Rental.

Item 415. Highway Department, Chapter 90 Maintenance. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,500.00 for Highway Department, Chapter 90 Maintenance.

Item 416. Highway Department, Chapter 90 Construction. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $11,900.00 for Highway Department, Chapter 90 Construction. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $11,900.00 and to authorize borrowing by the Treasurer of $35,700.00 under this item and this was so voted.

Item 417. Highway Department, Snow and Sand. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $80,000.00 under Highway Department, Snow and Sand.

Item 418. Highway Department, Street Lighting. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $26,760.00 for Highway Department, Street Lighting.

A motion was made to reconsider Item 418 at this time and this motion was lost with 40 votes in the affirmative and 62 votes in the negative.

Item 419. Highway Department, Bituminous Concrete. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000.00 for Highway Department, Bituminous Concrete.

Item 451. Water Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $46,750.00 for Water Department, Expenses.

Item 452. Water Department, Chemicals and Laboratory Supplies. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $22,500.00 for Water Department, Chemical and Laboratory Supplies.

Item 461. Park and Tree Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for Park and Tree Department, Expenses.

A motion was made to reconsider Item 452 at this time and this motion was lost with 59 votes in the affirmative and 70 votes in the negative.

Item 462. Park and Tree Department, Poison Ivy. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for Park and Tree Department, Poison Ivy.

Item 463. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for Park and Tree Department, Moth Control. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 under this item and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for Item 463 was so voted.

Item 464. Park and Tree Department, Parks and Playgrounds. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for Park and Tree Department, Parks and Playgrounds. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 under this item and this was so voted.

Item 465. Park and Tree Department, Dutch Elm. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for Park and Tree Department, Dutch Elm.

Item 471. Sewerage Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,500.00 for Sewerage Department, Expenses.

Item 511. Welfare Department, Benefits. The Town Clerk took over as Moderator so that Mr. Conway could speak on this item. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $209,700.00 for Welfare Department, Benefits.

Item 575. Department of Veterans Services Benefit Payments. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $75,000.00 for Department of Veterans Services, Benefit Payments.

Item 601. School Department, Salaries and Wages. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,192,993.00 for School Department, Salaries.

Item 602. School Department, Expenses. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $527,739.00 for School Department, Expenses.

Item 603. School Department, Out-of-State-Travel. A motion was made that Item 603 be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for School Department, Out-of-State-Travel and this was so voted.

Item 651. Regional Vocational School, Appropriation. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,397.96 for Regional Vocational School, Appropriation.

Item 751. Interest Payments, Bond Interest. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $174,344.00 for Interest Payments, Bond Interest.

Voted that when this meeting adjourned it convenes immediately after the last article of the Special Town Meeting has been acted upon.

Item 752. Interest payments, Short Term Interest. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000.00 for Interest Payments, Short Term Interest.

Item 801. Recreation Commission, Salaries. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,270.00 for Recreation Commission, Salaries.

Item 811. Cemetery, Salaries. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $13,000.00 for Cemetery, Salaries.

Item 851. Town Report. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,131.40 for Town Report.

Item 854. Group Insurance. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $41,500.00 for Group Insurance.

Item 856. V.F.W. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for V.F.W.

Item 857. D.A.V. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for D.A.V.

Item 858. V.F.W. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for V.F.W.

Item 890. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $21,669.58, and to transfer the following sums from the following unexpended balances:

East Billerica Boring - 1963	$ 2,146.40
High School Renovation - 1964	23.10
Shade Trees - 1964	62.57
Shade Trees - 1965	2.58
New Police Officer - 1965	1,402.29
Life Preservers - 1965	45.00
Fire Dept. Heavy Duty Account - 1965	279.00
Fire Dept. Pump - 1965	224.46
Public Works Dump Truck - 1965	426.50
Public Works Training Program - 1965	150.00
Regional Vocational School Planning Expense	689.77
Band Concerts - 1965	72.00
Accrued Bond Interest Account	4,806.75
TOTAL	10,330.42

ARTICLE 5. Voted unanimously that Article 5 be accepted as read.

ARTICLE 6. Voted unanimously that Article 6 be accepted as read.

ARTICLE 7. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $11,382.18 and to transfer the sum of $2,847.82 from the County Dog License Fund, and $4,466.75 from State Funds provided for that purpose. making a total of $18,696.75 for the Bennett Public Library.

ARTICLE 8. A motion was made that Article 8 be accepted as read. An amendment was made that no tax title land be sold except to an abuttor and that this be a small lot that cannot be built on. A motion was made to lay this article on the table until the first order of business after reconvening after Special Town Meeting and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 9. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion that this article be postponed until the second order of business after reconvening after Special Town Meeting and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 10. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,401.73 to pay bills as itemized under Article 10. Following debate the previous question was moved and voted with 117 votes in the affirmative and 9 votes in the negative. The motion to raise and

appropriate the sum of $8,401.73 to pay bills as itemized under Article 10 was put to a rising vote. There were 51 votes in the affirmative and 90 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 10 and this motion was lost with 61 votes in the affirmative and 83 in the negative.

ARTICLE 11. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,176.02 to pay bills as itemized under Article 11, and this was so voted.

It was moved and voted to adjourn. Time 11:10 P.M.

REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN ON THE ARTICLES OF THE WARRANT OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 19, 1966

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 10:30 A.M.

The following were appointed Tellers by the Moderator and sworn in by the Town Clerk: Ralph R. Bacon, Shirley J. Brannen, Marcello Olivieri.

A count for a quorum showed there to be 138 Town Meeting Members present.

Voted to dispense with the reading of the Warrant and return of service and proceed with the order of the day.

The Moderator was given unanimous consent to omit reading of the articles and to refer to them by subject matter.

The report of the Permanent School Building Committee was read by Vincent M. Padula. It was moved and voted that the report of the Permanent School Building Committee be accepted as read.

ARTICLE 1. VOTED that the Board of Selectmen purchase, for the sum of one thousand dollars an acre, or take by eminent domain, in fee, for school building purposes, forty acres, more or less, of land situated on the easterly side of Allen Road in Billerica, Massachusetts, now owned by John D. Cooke and Ida B. Elfman, and described as follows:

The land in Billerica containing about forty (40) acres and located on the easterly side of Allen Road in said Town and being all of that part of seventy-three and one-half (73½) acres lot described in a deed dated June 22, 1955, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1298, Page 71, that lies on the easterly side of Allen Road, except a building lot in the northwest corner, with a frontage of one hundred fifty (150) feet on Allen Road, and a depth of two hundred twentysix (226) feet, more or less.

This was voted with 152 in the affirmative and 2 in the negative.

ARTICLE 2. VOTED that the sum of $40,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase or taking in fee for school building purposes, forty acres, more or less, of land situated on the easterly side of Allen Road in Billerica, Mass., now owned by John D. Cooke and Ida B. Elfman, and described as follows:

The land in Billerica containing about forty (40) acres and located on the easterly side of Allen Road in said Town and being all of that part of seventy-three and one-half (73½) acre lot described in a deed dated June 22. 1955, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1298, Page 71, that lies on the easterly side of Allen Road, except a building lot in the northwest corner, with a frontage of one hundred fifty (150) feet on Allen Road, and a depth of two hundred twenty-six (226) feet, more or less.

This was voted with 154 in the affirmative and 2 in the negative.

ARTICLE 3. A motion was made that Article 3 be passed as written in the Warrant and that the sum of $5,000.00 be raised and appropriated for this purpose. A motion was made that Article 3 be indefinitely postponed. An amendment was made to the original motion that the figure of $1,000.00 be substituted for the $5,000.00. After discussion the previous question was moved. The resulting voice vote was not unanimous in the affirmative and the Moderator called for a rising vote. The motion was carried with 164 votes in the affirmative and one vote in the negative. The amendment to substitute the figure of $1,000.00 for the $5,000.00 in the original motion was then put and this motion was lost. The motion that Article 3 be indefinitely postponed was voted on next and this motion was lost. The motion that Article 3 be passed as written in the Warrant and that the sum of $5,000.00 be raised and appropriated for this purpose was then so voted.

ARTICLE 4. A motion was made that Article 4 be approved as written in the Warrant. The Moderator was asked to get the sense of the meeting as to wheher they wished this act read. The Moderator after putting this question stated that it was not the sense of the meeting. A motion was made that consideration of Article 4 be indefinitely postponed. An amendment was made to instruct the Selectmen to prepare condensed information on this act so the meeting could vote intelligently when Article 119 of the Annual Town Meeting is reached. Indefinite postponement of this Article was then voted with provisions that Selectmen prepare condensed information for Town Meeting Members.

The meeting adjourned for noon recess. Time 12:00 noon. The meeting was called to order at 1:25 P.M. with 133 Town Meeting Members present.

ARTICLE 5. Voted unanimously that Article 5 be accepted as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 6. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Smith, representing Camp, Dresser & McGee, was present and given permission to speak and answer questions of the Town Meeting Members pertaining to this article. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

ARTICLE 7. A motion was made to indefinitely postpone this article pending action on Article 6 at some future date. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purpose expressed in Article 7.

Notice was served for reconsideration of Article 4.

After discussion the previous question was moved and unanimously voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the purposes expressed in Article 7 was then put, and this motion was lost. The motion to indefinitely postpone this article was so voted.

A motion was made to reconsider Article 4. Following discussion the previous question was moved. The Moderator was in doubt of the results of the voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 94 votes in the affirmative and 45 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. The motion to reconsider Article 4 was then put, and the Moderator declared the result of the voice vote was less than a two-thirds vote and the motion was lost.

It was moved and voted that the Special Town Meeting be adjourned. Time: 2:15 P.M.

The Annual Town Meeting convened at 2:40 following adjournament of the Special Town Meeting.

Lawrence DeBenedictis reported for the Tax Map Committee. Voted that the report of the Tax Map Committee be accepted as read.

Notice was served for reconsideration of Item 890 of Article 4 at a later date.

ARTICLE 8. A motion was made that Article 8 be indefinitely postponed. A motion was made that Article 8 be accepted as read. An amendment was made that the Board of Selectmen be not authorized to sell Tax Title land except for three parcels described at Plate 93, Lots #33, 34 and 35, on the Assessor's Map. After discussion the previous question was moved and put to a voice vote which was declared by the Moderator to be more than a two-thirds vote in the affirmative. The amendment that the Board of Selectmen be not authorized to sell Tax Title land except for three parcels described as Plate 93, Lots #33, 34 and 35, on the Assessor's Map was then put and declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote with 79 votes in the affirmative and 63 in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion was made that further action on Article 8 be postponed until after consideration of Article 48. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 110 votes in the affirmative and 43 in the negative and the motion was carried

ARTICLE 9. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. A motion was made that this article be postponed to be acted on as the second order of business after Article 48 and this was so voted.

A motion was made that Article 59 be brought forward at this time and this was so voted with 128 votes in the affirmative and 22 in the negative, on a rising vote.

ARTICLE 59. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law to permit in Residential District the erection and use of multiple dwellings

for use by the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonweath of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority, by inserting in Section 5, Paragraph 1 of the Zoning By-Law entitled: "In residence districts", the following paragraph:

1.11 The construction and use of multiple dwelling structures for the elderly on sites approved by the Division of Housing of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Billerica Housing Authority.

This was voted with 153 in the affirmative and 1 in the negative.

A motion was made that when this meeting adjourns it reconvene Monday night at 7:30 P.M. A motion was made that when this meeting adjourns it reconvene Tuesday night at 7:30 P.M. The motion to reconvene on Monday night was lost. The motion to reconvene on Tuesday night at 7:30 P.M., was so voted.

A motion to bring forward Article 48 at this time was lost with 26 votes in the affirmative and 99 votes in the negative on a rising vote.

A motion was made to reconsider Item 890 of Article 4 at this time and this was unanimously voted. (This motion was requested by the Finance Committee to correct a mistake in figures). It was moved and voted to transfer the sum of $10,330.42 and raise and appropriate the sum of $21,669.58 for Item 890. (Items to be transferred same as in original motion under this item. The error was in addition).

A motion was made to bring forward Article 58 at this time. The question of a quorum being present was raised. A count showed 151 Town Meeting Members present. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of voice vote to bring forward Article 58 at this time and called for a rising vote. There were 98 votes in the affirmative and 39 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 58. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed, and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 4. Item 261. Dog Officer, Salary. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,600.00 for Item 261. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and unanimously voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,600.00 for Item 261 was so voted.

ARTICLE 4. Item 262. Dog Officer, Expense. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,600.00 for Item 261. Following Following discussion, the previous question was moved and put to a voice vote. The Moderator declared the results to be more than a two-thirds vote and the motion was carried. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $851.00 for Dog Officer, Expenses. was so voted.

ARTICLE 4. Item 263. Dog Officer, Use of Kennels. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for Item 263. A motion was made to indefinitely postpone Item 263. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and unanimously voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for Item 263 was so voted. A motion for reconsideration of Item 262 was lost. A motion for reconsideration of Item 263 was lost.

ARTICLE 4. Item 301. Cattle Inspector, Salary. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for Cattle Inspector, Salary.

ARTICLE 12. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,996.25 to be used to employ one permanent police officer and furnish equipment for the same. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,992.50 to be used to employ two permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and unanimously voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,992.50 to be used to employ two permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same was so voted.

ARTICLE 13. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 to purchase three station wagon type cruisers for the Billerica Police Department, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade or sell the two 1965 Dodge station wagon type cars, to be applied against the purchase price of the three new vehicles.

ARTICLE 14. Voted to postpone action on Article 14 until the second order of business next Tuesday night.

A motion for reconsideration of the motion to adjourn until Tuesday night was lost.

ARTICLE 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,400.00 to purchase two portable radios for the Billerica Police Department and Civil Defense use, with amendment that it be the resolution of Town Meeting Members that these radios be left in the Police Station.

The meeting was adjourned until 7:30 P.M., Tuesday night. Time: 4:55 P.M.

MARCH 22, 1966 — TUESDAY NIGHT

The meeting was called to order at 7:55 P.M., with 143 Town Meeting Members present.

Mrs. Marion D. Gould was present as Moderator and thanked Mr. Conway for taking over as Moderator pro-tem during her absence.

ARTICLE 14. A motion was made to postpone action on Article 14 until the first order of business on Saturday next. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 31 votes in the affirmative and the Moderator declared the motion lost without further count. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for purposes stated under Article 14. An amendment was made that a sum of $900.00 be raised and appropriated to replace present steam boiler in Police Station with a steam boiler of comparable size. An amendment to this motion was made to change figure to $1,250.00 for the replacement boiler. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to

raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for purposes stated under Article 14 was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,250.00 to replace present steam boiler in Police Station was so voted.

ARTICLE 16. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and put to a rising vote with 84 votes in the affirmative and 89 in the negative and the motion was lost. A motion was made that the Town employ four additional permanent men for the Fire Department. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to employ four additional permanent men for the Fire Department was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficent number and put to a rising vote with 96 votes in the affirmative and 74 in the negative and the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 17. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,716.00 to employ four additional permanent men for the Fire Department and equipment for the same.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 16 and this motion was lost.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 17 and this motion was lost.

ARTICLE 18. Voted that Article 18 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 19. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,295.00 for purposes as stated under Article 19.

ARTICLE 20. A motion was made that this article be postponed until the first order of business on Saturday and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 21. Voted unanimously to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of not more than four members to establish and lay out Fire Limits for the Town.

The report of the North Billerica Fire Station Committee was read by Lawrence Bourque.

ARTICLE 22. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $5,989.34 and to transfer the amount of $10.66 from the New Police Station for a total of $6,000.00.

Voted that Articles 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27 be postponed until the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth order of business on Saturday next.

ARTICLE 28. Voted unanimously that Article 28 be indefinitely postponed.

A motion was made that when the Town Meeting adjourns it reconvene tomorrow evening at 7:30 P.M. A motion was made that when the Town Meeting adjourns it reconvene next Saturday morning at 10:00 A.M. The motion to reconvene tomorrow night was lost. A motion was made requesting a roll call vote and this motion was lost. The motion

that when the Town Meeting adjourns it reconvene next Saturday morning at 10:00 A.M., was so voted.

ARTICLE 29. Voted that Article 29 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 30. Voted to postpone action on Article 30 until the 7th order of business next Saturday morning.

ARTICLE 31. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $340.00 to purchase a Wire Broom and Spindle for the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 32. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $175.00 for a Floor Jack for the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 33. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $80.00 for a Wheel Balancer for the Public Works Department. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $80.00 for a Wheel Balancer for the Public Works Department was unanimously voted.

ARTICLE 34. A motion was made that Article 34 be indefinitely postponed. A motion was made that action of Article 34 be postponed until the eighth order of business on Saturday and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 35. A motion was made that Article 35 be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 35 be indefinitely postponed was so voted. (The Finance Committee suggested investigation of possible purchase through Civil Defense).

ARTICLE 36. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 for purposes as stated in this article. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000.00 for purposes as stated in this Article was lost.

ARTICLE 37. A motion was made that Article 37 be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Hulm, representing company interested in selling these machines to the Town, was granted permission to speak and to answer questions of Town Meeting Members. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 37 be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

It was moved and voted to adjourn until time stated in previous motion. Time: 11:00 P.M.

MARCH 26, 1966

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 10:45 A.M. with 134 Town Meeting Members present.

Notice was served for later reconsideration of Article 36.

ARTICLE 20. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,180.00 for a new ¾ ton pick-up truck for the Fire Department.

ARTICLE 23. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for an Air Compressor for the Water Department and to authorize the Selectmen to sell the 1946 Ford truck with mounted compressor, and the portable compressor, and apply the money toward the purchase of the new compressor.

ARTICLE 24. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,796.80 for two Pick-up Trucks, one for the Water Department and one for the Highway Department, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1962 Pick-up Truck of the Highway Department and to apply the money toward the purchase price of the new Pick-up Trucks.

ARTICLE 25. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,715.01 for a Utility Truck for the Water Department and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the old 1961 Utility Truck of the Water Department and to apply the money toward the purchase price of a new Utility Truck.

ARTICLE 26. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,779.74 for a Dump Truck for the Highway Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1957 GMC Dump Truck and apply the money toward the purchase of the Dump Truck.

ARTICLE 27. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,425.01 to purchase a Cab and Chassis for the Highway Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1959 Ford dump truck of the Highway Department, and to apply the money toward the purchase price of the Cab and Chassis.

ARTICLE 30. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,250.00 for a Mist Sprayer for the Tree Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1949 Mist Sprayer of the Tree Department and apply the money toward the purchase price of the Mist Sprayer.

ARTICLE 34. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum sum of $200.00 for the erection of suitable handrails on the steps at the front of the Town Hall. This was followed by a motion that Article 34 be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of a voice vote on indefinite postponement and called for a rising vote. There were 48 votes in the affirmative and the Moderator declared the motion lost without further count. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the erection of suitable handrails on the steps at the front of the Town Hall was so voted.

ARTICLE 38. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 to install a drain pipe in Nashua Road southerly from Dudley Road to a brook, a distance of approximately 1,100 feet. A motion was made that Article 38 be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Philip Marsden whose property was affected was given permission by the Town Meeting

Members to come forward and explain his problems. The motion that Article 38 be indefinitely postponed was lost. The original motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 to install a drain pipe in Nashua Road southerly from Dudley Road to a brook, a distance of approximately 1,100 feet, was so voted.

ARTICLE 39. Voted that Article 39 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 40. A motion was made that Article 40 be passed as written in the Warrant. This was followed by a motion that Article 40 be indefinitely postponed. A motion for the previous question was lost. A motion to recess until 1:00 P.M., was lost. Following further discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 40 be indefinietly postponed was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion for indefinite postponement of Article 40 was put to a rising vote. There were 64 votes in the affirmative and the Moderator declared the motion was lost without further count. The motion that Article 40 be passed as written in the Warrant was put to a rising vote and this motion was lost with 77 votes in the affirmative and 62 in the negative. (Not a two-thirds majority).

Voted to recess until 1:00 P.M.

The Town Meeting was called to order at 1:30 P.M. with 148 Town Meeting Members present.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 40. The Moderator was in doubt of the results of the voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 88 votes in the affirmative and 64 in the negative and the motion for reconsideration was lost.

ARTICLE 41. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting subsection 4.2 of Section 10 and by deleting the words "or two" from subsection 1.1 of Section 5 so that the first clause of subsection 1.1 states "single family residences and gardens".

This was voted with 137 in the affirmative and 1 in the negative.

A motion was made to meet on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening of next week at 7:30 P.M. An amendment was made to meet Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week at 7:30 P.M. and this was so voted. The main motion to meet Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week at 7:30 P.M. was lost.

ARTICLE 42. Voted unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by adding to Section 2 the following paragraph:

> 7. Structure: A combination of materials assembled at a fixed location to give support or shelter, such as a building, framework, retaining wall, tent, reviewing stand, platform, bin, fence, sign, mast for radio antenna or the like. but excluding a flagpole. The word "structure" shall be construed where the context allows, as though followed by the words "or part or parts thereof".

ARTICLE 43. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,680.05 as its apportioned annual cost, based on $0.15 per capita, for the operation of the Greater Lowell Regional Planning District, in accordance with Section 7 of Chapter 40B of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 44. A motion was made that Article 44 be passed as written in the Warrant. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted.

The motion that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and the Zoning Map by designating a Flood Plain District, as shown on map of the Town of Billerica entitled "Flood Plain District, March 10, 1964" a copy of which is on file with the Town Clerk, and also to amend the Zoning By-Law by making the following changes in subsection 7 of Section 5;

A. Delete subsection 7.0.1 and substitute the following:
7.0.1 The purpose of this district is to promote the health and safety of the occupants of lands deemed subject to seasonal or periodic flooding. The land included in this district is also included in one of the other districts defined in this by-law. It is the intention of these regulations that the requirements of the Flood Plain District shall be considered to apply in addition to the requirements of whatever other district may include the land. No building or structure intended for human occupancy, either continuous or intermittent, shall be erected or placed in the Flood Plain District unless a special permit for an exception is granted by the Board of Appeals. Only those buildings and structures, which in the opinion of the Board of Appeals, are so situated and constructed as to be suitable and safe for human occupancy shall be permitted; such permit shall be secured in the manner prescribed in this section.

B. Delete 7.2.1 and substitute the following:
7.2.1 No building permit shall be issued unless the Board of Appeals has granted a special permit as an exception as provided in this subsection. All permits issued shall indicate the condition under which the Board of Appeals approval is granted.

C. Modify subsection 7.2.2 by changing the words "forty-five" to "ninety" (to conform to Section 18 of Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the State of Massachusetts.)

D. Delete item c from subsection 7.3.1 and substitute the following:
c. that all spaces contemplated for use are elevated at least two feet above the expected water level in flood periods for the particular flood plain district as defined by the map of the Flood Plain District and that the fill and foundations are installed in a manner to be safe from erosion and undermining by flood waters.

E. Delete item e from subsection 7.3.1.

F. Delete subsection 7.4.2 and substitute the following:
7.4.2 Uses other than those requiring special permits for exceptions as required in this subsection 7 shall be permitted provided such uses are permitted in the particular zoning district containing the particular land involved. All conditions and qualifications of said zoning district shall apply.

7 G. Insert a new subsection 7.7 following subsection 7.6. It shall read as follows:

7.7 In order to determine the exact boundaries of the Flood Plain District, reference shall be made to map of the Town of Billerica entitled "Flood Plain Districts March 10, 1964" a copy of which is on file with

the Town Clerk. Regardless of ground elevation, no area outside the boundaries of the various Flood Plain Districts as shown on the map shall be subject to the regulations pertaining to the Flood Plain District on said may for each Flood Plain District thereby defined. Ground elevations above mean sea level (datum 1929) are stated to establish for the purpose of this By-Law the expected water level in flood periods for various Flood Plain Districts shown on the map. The Board of Appeals shall use these elevations to determine its requirements for granting any special permits.

7.8. All buildings designed for human occupancy, which are existing on the date this amendment is voted shall be exempt from the provisions of subsection 7. of Section 5, whether or not said buildings are located within the boundaries of the Flood Plain District.

This was voted with 126 in the affirmative and 31 in the negative.

ARTICLE 45. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to a Neighborhood Business District land owned by Mary E. McMenimen on 12 Andover Road, bounded and described as follows:

Located on the northerly side of Andover Road; on the West by land of Desrosiers, 205.22 ft.; on the North by land of the Congregational Church, 99.70 ft.; on the East by land of Lyons, 188 ft.; on the South by Andover Road, 54.27 feet. Containing 14,400 sq. ft.

This was voted with 152 in the affirmative and 2 in the negative.

ARTICLE 46. Voted to postpone action on this article until after Article 48.

ARTICLE 47. Voted to transfer the sum of $2,500.00 from the Sale of Lots Fund for this article.

ARTICLE 48. A motion was made that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the following described parcel of land to the Disabled Veterans Post Chapter 47 of the Town of Billerica for the sum of one dollar ($1.00) with the condition that it be used to provide quarters for said chapter, land as described under this article. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion for indefinite postponement was put by the Moderator who was in doubt as to the result of a voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 85 votes in the affirmative and 65 votes in the negative and the motion for indefinite postponement was carried. A motion for reconsideration of Article 48 was lost.

ARTICLE 8. A motion was made that Article 8 be passed as written in the Warrant. A motion was made that Article 8 be accepted as written with amendment added that a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to make a study of the methods of selling lots of low value of the Town and a study of the lands and their best value to the Town, the committee to report back at the next Town Meeting with their recommendations.

A substitute motion was made to authorize the Board of Selectmen

to sell parcels 33, 34 and 35 on plate 93, and the Selectmen appoint a committee of five to study the sale of tax title land and report back with recommendations to the next annual town meeting, the committee to be comprised of one Selectman, one member of the Board of Appeals and three present Town Meeting Members. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The substitute motion as stated above was declared carried by the Moderator and this decision was doubted by more than seven Town Meeting Members. A quorum was questioned and a count showed there to be 158 Town Meeting Members present. The substitute motion was put to a rising vote with 60 votes in the affirmative and 75 in the negative and the motion was lost. The amendment that a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to make a study of the methods of selling lots of low value of the Town, and their best value to the Town, the committee to report back at the next Town Meeting with their recommendation, was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. The moderator declared without a count that there was obviously the necessary majority to carry the motion. The motion that Article 8 be passed as written in the Warrant, with amendment was then so voted.

ARTICLE 9. Voted that Article 9 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 46. Voted that Article 46 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 49. A motion was made that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $12,000.00 in order for the School Committee to provide bus transportation for students attending elementary schools outside the Town of Billerica and that the net cost of such transportation shall not exceed $100.00 per year per student. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion the previous question was moved. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 100 votes in the affirmative and 45 in the negative and the motion was carried. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was then put by the Moderator, who declared the motion carried. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion for indefinite postponement was put to a rising vote with 96 votes in the affirmative and 59 in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion for reconsideration of Article 49 was lost.

Mr. Conway read report of Health Agent Study Committee.

ARTICLE 50. Voted to postpone action on Article 50 until after Article 54.

ARTICLE 51. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,050.00 to be expended by the Board of Health for the control of algae and other aquatic nuisance in Nuttings Lake. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,100.00 under this article. A motion was made to postpone action on Article 51 to the first order of business on Monday night and the Moderator declared this motion lost. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the

motion for postponement was put to a rising vote. There were 104 votes in the affirmative and 4 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion that the meeting adjourn at 5:00 P.M. was lost.

ARTICLE 52. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,300.00 as Billerica's share of the State Mental Health program.

ARTICLE 53. Voted to authorize the Board of Health to appoint a Director of Public Health, minimum requirements of said position to be not less than those required of a Registered Sanatarian, certified under the authority of Section 87NN of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 673 of the Acts of 1957.

ARTICLE 54. It was moved and voted to set the annual salary of one permanent, full time Director of Public Health at $6,292.00 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,719.00 to be used to employ one permanent full time Director of Public Health, minimum requirements to be not less than those required of a Registered Sanitarian, certified under the authority of Section 87NN of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 673 of the Acts of 1957. Unanimous.

ARTICLE 50. Voted unanimously that Article 50 be dismissed.
Voted to adjourn until Monday evening at 7:30 P.M. Time 5:05 P.M.

MARCH 28, 1966

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. with 133 Town Meeting Members present.

ARTICLE 51. A report was made by Gustav Wagner of the Conservation Commission. The Moderator pointed out that there were two motions before the meeting, one to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,100.00 under this article and one to raise and appropriate $1,050.00. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed, and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,100.00 under this article was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,050.00 to be expended by the Board of Health for the control of algae weeds and other aquatic nuisances in Nuttings Lake was so voted.

ARTICLE 55. Voted that Article 55 be passed as written.

ARTICLE 56. A motion was made to set the salary of the Junior Clerk Typist at $3,406.52 and to raise and appropriate $3,381.69 to be used to employ one permanent, full time Junior Clerk Typist for the Public Health Department. The Town gave permission to come back to this article when the Finance Committee gets the proper figures worked out. Following action on Article 67 the Town Meeting came back to action on Article 56. It was moved and unanimously voted to set the annual salary of the Junior Clerk Typist at $3,406.52 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,554.89 to be used to employ one permanent, full time Junior Clerk Typist for the Public Health Department.

ARTICLE 57. Voted that Article 57 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 60. Voted unanimously that Article 60 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 61. Voted unanimously that Article 61 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 62. Voted unanimously that Article 62 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 63. Voted unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to a Neighborhood Business District land owned by John D. and Anna B. Mason on 493 Boston Road, bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by land of Rachel Rosatto, 271 ft.; Westerly by said last named land 222 ft.; Easterly by Boston Road ,167 ft.; Southerly by other land of Rachel Rosatto, 265 ft.: Area of land is about 51,000 sq. ft. Property is also known as parcel 35 of plate 70 in the Town's Property Maps.

ARTICLE 64. Voted that Article 64 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 65. The Moderator, Mrs. Gould, asked the Assistant Moderator, Mr. Richard Conway, to take the chair while she stepped down to make a motion. Mrs. Gould made a motion that this article be indefinitely postponed. Attorney Nyman was given permission to speak on this article. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was unanimously voted. Mrs. Gould resumed the Chair.

ARTICLE 66. Voted unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to an Industrial District the land owned by Walter Arakelian et als on Rangeway Road, bounded and described as follows:

To extend the present industrially zoned area beginning at station number 35 as shown on a plan of Massachusetts Department of Public Works for the relocation of Rangeway Road dated 1953 thence; northerly along the Easterly boundary of said Rangeway Road four hundred feet to station 40 plus 50 on said plan; thence Southeasterly 850 feet more or less to a large oak tree; thence along the existing industrially zoned land to the point of beginning.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 65 and this motion was lost by unanimous vote.

ARTICLE 67. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for maintaining the Billerica Little League Field and to aid in the support of the Little League.

ARTICLE 68. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,250.00 under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C for the purpose of maintaining the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 69. Voted to transfer $500.00 from the Forest Fund for this article.

ARTICLE 70. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the expenses of the Billerica Housing Authority. This was followed by a motion that Article 70 be indefinitely postponed and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 71. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the Industrial Commission. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the Industrial Commission and then a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the Industrial Commission. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the Industrial Commission was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and a rising vote was called for. There were 85 votes in the affirmative and 70 votes in the negative and the motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the Industrial Commission was so voted.

ARTICLE 72. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to purchase shade trees, shrubbery, landscaping and replacing old trees for the Tree Department, to be expended under express control of the Garden Club.

ARTICLE 73. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $966.00 for the purpose of having a series of band concerts on the Billerica Center Common during the summer months.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 71 was lost.

ARTICLE 74. A motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for the purpose as stated in this article. This was followed by a motion that Article 74 be indefinitely postponed and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 75. Voted that Article 75 be dismissed.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 74 was lost.

ARTICLE 76. Voted to accept Banulis Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 77. Voted to accept Bertha Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 78. Voted to accept Biscayne Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 79. Voted unanimously to accept Buckingham Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 80. Voted that Article 80 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 81. Voted to accept Chatham Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 82. Voted unanimously to accept Churchill Street as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 83 Voted unanimously to accept David Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 84. Voted unanimously to accept Diane Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 85. Voted unanimously to accept Eubar Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 86. Voted unanimously to accept Garnet Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 87. Voted unanimously to accept Janice Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 88. Voted unanimously to accept Kazimer Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 89. Voted unanimously to accept Kern Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 90. Voted unanimously to accept Kimbrough Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 91. Voted that Article 91 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 92. Voted unanimously to accept Montbatten Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 93. Voted unanimously to accept Montclair Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 94. Voted unanimously to accept Newport Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 95. Voted unanimously to accept Nolte Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 96. Voted unanimously to accept Philip Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 97. Voted unanimously to accept Phyllis Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 98. Voted unanimously to accept Putney Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 99. Voted unanimously to accept Sheffield Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 100. Voted to accept University Lane as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 101. Voted to accept Westminster Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 102. Voted unanimously to accept Purcell Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 103. Voted that Article 103 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 104. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to be used for the operation of State-aided Evening Practical Arts Education courses including also Adult Education courses. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,200.00 under this article. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,200.00 under this article was lost. The main motion as stated above to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 was so voted.

ARTICLE 105. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $27,000.00 to replace the roof of the Vining School, and should this money be appropriated the Selectmen be instructed to follow through with law suit to recover whatever sum they can from the contractor and architect or the supplier of the material. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The amendment that the Selectmen be instructed to institute suit or take any other action to recover damages from the contractor and architect or the supplier of the material

was so voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $27,000.00 to replace the roof of the Vining School, with amendment, was so voted.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 104 was lost.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 105 was lost.

ARTICLE 106. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,000.00 to pay the cost of transporting pupils of grades one through three living between one-half and one mile from school. This was followed by a motion that Article 106 be indefinitely postponed. After discussion, the previous question was moved and lost on a rising vote of 78 in the affirmative and 48 in the negative. After further discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 106 be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

ARTICLE 107. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,500.00 to formulate plans and designs for making a football field and track field at the rear of Memorial High School. This was followed by a motion that Article 107 be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote that was taken on indefinite postponement of Article 107 and called for a rising vote. There were 79 votes in the affirmative and 55 votes in the negative and the motion that Article 107 be indefinitely postponed was carried.

A motion was made to adjourn until 7:30 P.M. the following night. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 55 votes in the affirmative and 73 votes in the negative and the motion to adjourn was lost.

ARTICLE 108. Voted that the Town amend the Building Code deleting Section 5 of Part IX, the sentence reading: "No duplex house shall have a floor area of less than eight hundred (800) square feet including stairways per family unit", and substitute the following:

"No duplex house shall have a floor area less than sixteen hundred (1600) square feet, including stairways per family unit".

A quorum was questioned and a count showed there to be 126 Town Meeting Members present. It was moved and voted to adjourn. Time 11:15 P.M.

MARCH 29, 1966

The meeting was called to order at 8:05 P.M., with 136 Town Meeting Members present.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 108 was lost.

ARTICLE 109. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Babe Ruth League, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Babe Ruth League Committee.

ARTICLE 110. Before action on Article 110 was taken the report of the Water Committee was read by Ralph Bacon. It was moved and voted that the report be accepted as read and the Committee continued.

A motion was made to borrow under the authority of Chapter 44 of

the General Laws the sum of $49,917.85 and transfer from water extension articles of 1956 the sum of $15.42 and from water extension article of 1964 the sum of $66.73 making a total of $50,000.00 for water main extensions of six inch mains or larger. An amendment was made that the sum of $261,210.00 is appropriated for laying and relaying water mains of not less than six inchess but less than 16 inches in diameter, and to raise this amount to transfer from water extension articles of 1956 the sum of $15.42 and from water extension article of 1964 the sum of $66.73, and the sum of $61,127.85 is appropriated from the 1966 tax levy and the Treasurer with the permission of the Selectmen is authorized to issue $200,000.00 in bonds or notes of the Town under General Laws C 44, S 8 as amended.

An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000.00 for water main extensions. The previous question was moved and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000.00 was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and a rising vote was taken with 47 votes in the affirmative and 83 in the negative and the motion was lost.

A motion was made to borrow under Chapter 44 the sum of $34,200.00 for the Treble Cove Road water extension, raise and appropriate the sum of $49,917.85 and transfer from 1964 and 1956 water extension account $82.15 for water extension of six inch mains or larger.

A motion that this article be postponed until the last order of business of this meeting was lost. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted.

Motion to borrow under Chapter 44 the sum of $34,200.00 for Treble Cove Road water extension was so voted. Motion to appropriate $261,210.00 etc. as above was lost. Motion for $49,917.00 under Chapter 44 and to transfer $15.42 and $66.73 (as in original motion) was lost.

The Moderator then put the motion as amended to borrow under Chapter 44 the sum of $34,200.00 for the Treble Cove Road water extension and to raise and appropriate the sum of $49,917.85 and transfer from 1956 and 1964 water extension account the sum of $82.15 for water extensions of not less than six inch mains but less than sixteen inches in diameter making a total of $84,200.00.

This was voted with 150 in the affirmative and 6 in the negative.

ARTICLE 111. A motion was made and so voted to accept article 111 as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 112. Voted that the Town amend the Personnel By-Law Fringe Benefits, Section I, by striking out paragraphs (b) (c) and (d) and inserting in place thereof:

(b) Employees who have been continuously employed for less than 5 years but more than 1 year, shall be granted two weeks vacation with pay,

(c) Employees who have been continuously employed for more than 5 years but less than 10 years shall be granted three weeks vacation with pay.

(d) Employees who have been continuously employed for more than 10 years shall be granted four weeks vacation with pay.

This was voted with 98 in the affirmative and 49 in the negative.

ARTICLE 113. Voted that Article 113 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 114. A motion was made that the Town vote to accept Section 16A of Chapter 51 of the General Laws of Mssachusetts as amended, relating to the establishment of a Board of Election Commissioners. This was followed by a motion that Article 114 be indefinitely postponed and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 115. A motion was made that Article 115 be dismissed and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 116. Voted that Article 116 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 117. Voted that Article 117 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 118. Voted that Article 118 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 119. A motion was made to accept the provisions of Chapter 392 of the Acts of 1964 which is an act authorizing the Town of Billerica to construct and operate a system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal. A motion to indefinitely postpone this article was made. After discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted. The motion to indefinitely postpone this article was voted.

ARTICLE 120. Voted that Article 120 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 121. Voted that Article 121 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 122. Voted unanimously to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain under Chapter 79 of the General Laws in fee for the purpose of erecting a standpipe in connection with proposed water works improvements the following described land located in the Town of Billerica supposed to belong to Musgrave Tower Farm, Inc., and bounded and described as stated in the article, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for such purpose.

ARTICLE 123. Voted unanimously that Article 123 be accepted as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 124. Voted unanimously to accept parcel of land from Roberts Homes, Inc., as described under Article 124.

ARTICLE 125. Voted unanimously to accept Article 125 as read and to accept the parcel of land as described in this article.

ARTICLE 126. Voted unanimously that Article 126 be accepted as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 127. Voted unanimously that Article 127 be accepted as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 128. Voted that Article 128 be accepted as written in the Warrant.

ARTICLE 129. It was moved and unanimously voted to authorize the Finance Committee, through a sub-committee of three members, elected from and by its members, to investigate the advisability of accepting Chapter 101, Acts of 1953, of the General Court, pertaining to the establishment of a "Board of Public Works" and to hold hearings and take the necessary steps to properly bring this matter before the voters of the Town at the next annual Town Meeting as outlined under the above mentioned Act.

Just prior to Article 129 it was moved and voted to reconsider Article 36.

ARTICLE 36. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to repair sidewalks on the easterly side of Boston Road from Andover Road to southerly end of O'Connor Hardware, and to construct a sidewalk from the southerly end of O'Connor's Hardware to the northerly edge of the driveway of St. Theresa's Church. Following discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 under this article as just stated, was so voted.

ARTICLE 130. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 to have printed as of January 1, 1966, a listing of all taxable property in the Town, as stated under this article, the cost of publication to be defrayed through the sale of booklets to the general public. This was followed by a motion that Article 130 be indefinitely postponed. After discussion the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 130 be indefinitely postponed was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted by a sufficient number and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 74 votes in the affirmative and 49 votes in the negative and the motion that Article 130 be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

The Town Meeting Members applauded the Finance Committee for their fine job.

ARTICLE 131. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $22,000.00 for a stabilization fund for capital outlays under the authority of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended.

ARTICLE 132. Voted to transfer the sum of $49,900.00 from Free Cash to apply to the 1966 tax rate.

An expression of thanks was received on behalf of the Finance Committee for the cooperaton and help extended by the Moderator, the Moderator pro-tem, Town Officials, Department Heads and Town Meeting Members.

Voted that the Town Meeting be dissolved. Time: 11:30 P.M.

A true copy
Attest:

Mildred A. Westhaver
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

With the closing of the year ending December 31, 1966 I submit the following as vital statistics recorded:

Births	570
Marriages	204
Deaths	156

This is not the final figure for births of residents of Billerica for the calender year of 1966, as copies of births are still being received from other cities and towns.

Receipts taken in with all monies having been turned over to the Treasurer:

Dog Licenses	$ 4,727.25
Hunting Licenses	4,733.50
All Other Receipts	18,749.37
Total	$28,210.12

At this time I take the opportunity to thank the Town Meeting Members for their kind consideration of our salary increase and budget voted at the Town Meeting of 1966, and also my Out of State Travel to New York City to the meeting of the International Institute of Cities and Town Clerks.

Again, the meeting was very fruitful and informative in reference to our office.

I wish to thank the Selectmen and all Town Officials for their full cooperation throughout the year.

I regret the resignation of a member of the staff, F. Lillian Turner, who was replaced by Myrtie D. Smith.

The other member of the staff is Loretta G. Nickerson.

The office is open from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Monday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

I invite the townspeople to visit the office to see "The Great Deed from the Cambridge Proprietors to the Billerica Proprietors, dated 1654".

Also a copy of our incorporation papers, dated May 29, 1655.

We are here to serve you and welcome the opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED A. WESTHAVER
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Registrars conducted their annual listing of all males and females twenty years of age and older according to Chapter 5, Section 4, with the following results:

Precinct	Male	Female	Total
Precinct 1	836	802	1638
Precinct 2	1199	1264	2463
Precinct 3	1341	1351	2692
Precinct 4	872	866	1738
Precinct 5	1137	1149	2286
Precinct 6	1061	1052	2113
	6446	6484	12930

This is an increase of 623 persons over the previous year.
The total number of voters are as follows:

Precinct	Registered Voters	Democratic	Republican	Unenrolled Voters
Precinct 1	1259	311	361	587
Precinct 2	1830	692	377	761
Precinct 3	1915	744	274	897
Precinct 4	1203	421	177	605
Precinct 5	1477	380	158	939
Precinct 6	1422	422	158	842
	9106	2970	1505	4631

The above figures were compiled as of October 8, 1966 at the close of registration for the November election.

Qualified residents may register daily Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Monday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. and at special registration sessions prior to the various elections.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS M. DANIELS, Chairman
GEORGE L. GRANTZ
CANUTE W. LEE
MILDRED A. WESTHAVER
Clerk Ex-Officio

December 31, 1966

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Billerica:

We hereby submit our report for the year ending December 31, 1966.

At our annual election Stuart L. Potter was re-elected with Donald W. Davis being elected to the other vacancy. The Board was re-organized with Paul F. Newman as Chairman, Stuart L. Potter, Vice Chairman, and Russell A. Young, Secretary.

Aside from our regular meetings on the first and third Mondays of the month, many other Monday night meetings were held to accommodate the increased demands of the citizens.

Our town continues in its growth with the population now in excess of twenty-five thousand. This large influx of new citizens to our town has added to the demands for public services, water, police, fire, public works, street lights, etc.

We are still faced with a critical water problem. Legislation has been enacted updating the existing General Laws allowing us to borrow on a bond issue for periods up to thirty years. This legislation was sorely needed and we express our thanks to Representative Stanley Bocko for his assistance in this matter.

To fill the vancancy created by the resignation of Public Works Administrator Armand Provost, several applicants were interviewed. The successful applicant, Henry Racicot, was hired with his employment commencing on June 1, 1966.

The year 1966 was another year of progress with several industries locating in our town and several others seeking to locate here. We look for further progress in the year 1967 to the benefit of all our residents.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. NEWMAN, Chairman
STUART L. POTTER, Vice-Chairman
RUSSELL A. YOUNG, Secretary
DONALD W. DAVIS

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my annual reports for the year ending December 31, 1966.

There were 1,550 arrests for the following causes:

Crimes Against the Person:

Murder	1	
Manslaughter	1	
Robbery	1	
Kidnapping	1	
Assault and Battery with Dangerous Weapon	1	
Carnal Abuse Female Child	1	
Indecent Assault and Battery on Child under 14	2	
Assault and Battery on Police Officer	1	
Threatening	2	
Assault and Battery	30	
Total		41

Crimes Against Property:

Using Motor Vehicle Without Authority	34	
Breaking and Entering in Daytime and Larceny	4	
Breaking and Entering in Nightime and Larceny	6	
Larceny	13	
Forgery	1	
Uttering	1	
Accessory Before the Fact	1	
Larceny by False Pretenses	1	
Possession Burglarious Tools	1	
Tresspassing	1	
Total		63

Crimes Against Public Order

Speeding	910
Motor Vehicle Violations	238
Drunkenness	203
Non-Support	18
Safekeeping	21
Begetting	3

Delinquency	19	
Malicious Damage to Personal Property	5	
Disturbing the Peace	4	
Neglect of Minor Children	1	
Vagrancy	1	
Illegal Sale Narcotic Drugs	1	
Non-Payment of Fines	5	
Open and Gross Lewdness	3	
Violation of Parole	1	
Deserter	2	
Being Minor Having Alcoholic Beverages in Motor Vehicle	10	
Procuring Alcoholic Beverages for Minor	1	
Total		1446
Total Arrests		1550

Disposition of Cases

Released	175	
Fined	1045	
Probation	40	
Suspended Sentence	23	
Continued Without Finding	41	
Sentenced to House of Correction	6	
Sentenced to Walpole State Prison	2	
Ordered to Pay	38	
Turned Over to Out-of-Town Police	34	
Sentenced to Youth Service Board	11	
Filed	31	
Not Guilty	26	
Committed to Worcester State Hospital	23	
Returned V. A. Hospital Bedford	1	
Disposition Pending	29	
Returned to Parents	2	
Dismissed	23	
Total		1550

Miscellaneous

Summonses Served	1784
Ambulance Calls	878
Calls Answered by Cruisers	7932
Licenses Suspended	300
Registrations Suspended	20
Traffic Warnings Issued	427
Fines Assessed	$11,075.

Automobile Transfers	2482
Accidents Reported	650
Personal Injuries Claimed	283
Fatal Automobile Accidents	5
Special Property Checks	463
Photocopy Receipts	$1,107.

I wish to thank the Billerica Fire Department for their valued assistance on many of our ambulance calls and also for their cooperation in various emergencies during the year.

I also wish to thank the Town Officials, Department Heads and Department Personnel for their assistance and cooperation throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. RYAN
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Fire Department for the year 1966 is herewith submitted.

Manual Force

The manual force of the Department consists of forty-two permanent men including five officers, Chief of Department and three call men. Operating three stations: Central Station, Engine Co. 1, Ladder Co. 1; North Station, Engine Co. 2; and Pinehurst Station, Engine Co. 3.

Apparatus and Equipment

There are 11 pieces of motor apparatus: Chief's car, two emergency boats, 500-gallon portable trailer pump, two C. D. portable pumps, a C. D.

fire truck and C. D. generator. The new 1000 gallon Pumper was delivered in April of this year and it is in service at Engine Co. 2 quarters in North Billerica.

Building and Equipment Repairs

The new Fire Station on Lowell Street in North Billerica is almost completed. The permanent men have made repairs to the buildings, apparatus and equipment whenever possible and through their efforts, the Town has been saved a considerable sum of money.

Fire Prevention

In keeping with Fire Department regulations, fire drills were held in all public schools during the year. Fire drills were held for all Town Fire Fighters. The Auxiliary Fire Fighters attended and participated in department drills this year. All places of public assembly were inspected and regulations enforced. Inspections were made before issuance of the following permits: oil burners, storage of oil for same, gasoline tanks and relocation of same.

Alarms, Fires and Emergency Calls

There were 1070 calls this year, 53 less calls than last year. The Fire Department also assisted the Police Department in many of their ambulance calls.

Loss and Damage

Estimated value of property at risk, not including brush and grass fires, and upon which there was a loss.

Value of Buildings and Automobiles	$ 2,800,314.00
Value of Contents of Same	162,859.00
TOTAL VALUE	$ 3,142,620.00
Loss on Buildings and Automobiles	$ 107,460.00
Loss on Contents of Same	29,748.00
TOTAL LOSS	$ 137,208.00
TOTAL INSURANCE PAID	$ 119,576.00

I wish to thank all those who, in any way, assisted this Department during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL H. ROPER
Fire Chief

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Following is a report of the Department of Public Works, for the year ending December 31, 1966:

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT:

Treatment Plant: Water consumption for 1966 showed an increase of 15% over 1965. Total amount pumped for 1966 was 664,801,200. Our peak day was July 2, when we pumped 3,456,100 gallons, and our peak month was also July when we pumped 76,847,300 gallons. In the first part of June, it became necessary to impose a restriction on the outside use of water (June 6, to September, 1966).

Distribution System: Water main extensions were installed on Treble Cove Road, from Jenkins Drive to Boston Road, River Road, Pinegrove Avenue, French Road, Rangeway Road, Connolly Road and Lenox Street.

There were 356 new services installed by the Department, and along with the services installed by developers in the various subdivisions, we had a total, as of December 31, of 6,721 services.

General maintenance consisted of repairs or replacement of old service connections 11; thawing out frozen lines 12; broken hydrants 4; flushing dead end mains; repairs to ruptured mains; repairs and maintenance of operationg equipment; and operation of the sewage treatment plant on Wyman Road and filter beds in North Billerica.

TREE, MOTH AND PARK DEPARTMENT:

There were 35 Norway Maple Trees, 25 Honey Locust Trees and 13 Taxus Conspidates planted this year. These trees and shrubs were paid for by Massachusetts Electric.

This year we have had a decrease in Dutch Elm Disease. Last year we had 107 dead and diseased Elm Trees removed, this year it is down to 78. The Tree Department removed 60 trees other than Elms that were in dangerous condition.

Brush cutting was done on 41 streets. Sprayed for poison ivy on 30 streets. Pruned 20 Trees on 3 streets.

General Maintenance: Flush cut 22 stumps, replaced loam where stumps were removed; put up voting booths in six precincts, when necessary; helped demolish burned house on Pine Street; opened catch basins and water ways. Park Department consisted of grass cutting on all School grounds, playgrounds, squares and on the Football Field.

HIGHWAY:

Streets were surfaced with bituminous concrete and also various short pieces and intersections throughout the Town. Roads Scarified, Graveled, Penetrated and sealed (4); roads tar, sand and seal, (15); road repairs (accepted streets) (6); road repairs (unaccepted streets) Chapter 40 (26). Street signs were installed on 11 streets; traffic signs were put up at the discretion of the Police Chief (11); guard rails were installed on 3 streets.

Chapter 90 Maintenance: Boston Road, Billerica Center to Farmer's Lane.

Drainage: Basins repaired at Concord Road, Causeway Turnpike, and also Pinehurst; Basins built at St. Anne's Church, Treble Cove Road; basins built at corner of Oakwood and Edgewood Avenue; basins cleaned in various locations.

NEW CONSTRUCTION UNDER WARRANT ARTICLES:

Salem Road Sidewalk: Preliminary lay out plans prepared by County Engineers; lay out estimates should be available soon. Nashua Road Drainage: Readvertised, Jan. 20, 1967, will be opened Feb. 6, 1967; Article in 1967 Town Meeting Warrant, for additional money. Boston Road, Sidewalk: Readvertised, September 19, 1966; no bids received. Bridge Street, Reconstruction: Public hearing held January 16, 1967; majority of abuttors refused to sign Waiver of Damages, therefore, request for acceptance will have to be by Chapter 79 of the General Laws. Manning Road, Construction: Article in 1967 Annual Town Meeting Warrant for reconstruction and installation of water line.

My aim is to bring about greater efficiency in all departments and to render a more complete service to the citizens at a lower cost. However, in order to bring this about I need the cooperation from the Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee and all other Town Boards.

At the request of the Board of Selectmen, the above report is a condensed version of report given to the Board on January 6, 1967. The original report may be seen at the office of the Board of Selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. RACICOT
Public Works Administrator

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER and

ANIMAL INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as Animal Inspector and Dog Officer for the Town of Billerica for the period September 16, 1966 to December 31, 1966.

Animal Bites Reported	56
Dogs showing physical signs of Rabies	1
Animals sumbitted to Laboratory for Examination. All biting animals were quarantined for the period of time prescribed by law	1
Animals Quarantined	56
Animals Released from Quarantine	56
Laboratory Report: Positive	0
Negative	1
Premises keeping domestic animals inspected	45
Cattle inspected	149
Horses inspected	88
Swine inspected	451
Goats inspected	9
Sheep inspected	20
Cattle released from interstate shipment	0
Cattle reacting to the Tuberculin Test	0
Cattle reacting to Brucellosis Disease Blood Test	0
Premises keeping animals checked	6
Animals checked	15
Dog complaints investigated	425
Diseased dogs and other animals picked up and buried	51
Dogs confined for care and custody	57
Dogs disposed of	57
Placement of dogs uncalled for	21

All special work assigned to me by the Department of Livestock Disease Control and the Town of Billerica was attended to promptly.

I wish to thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen, all Officers of the Town, Residents of the Town of Billerica, for their cooperation in carrying out the duties as Animal Inspector and Dog Officer.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO E. LeBLANC
Dog Officer and Animal Inspector

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is the annual report of the Planning Board for the year ending December 31, 1966.

Following the election of Arthur C. Fillmore in March, the Board re-organized, electing Richard D. Manning, Chairman; Gordon C. Brainerd, Vice Chairman; and Arthur C. Fillmore, Secretary. Mrs. Donna Flavin was appointed Recording Clerk to the Board and has continued to serve faithfully in that capacity.

The Planning Board would like to thank the Town Meeting members for their cooperation in passing Article 44 on Flood Plain Zoning. The Board feels that this is a sizeable step forward in protection of our waterways from further pollution and in avoiding property losses due to flooding of areas adjacent to these waterways.

Subdivision control has continued to require most of the Board's time this past year. However, only four new subdivisions have been approved, these providing for the construction of approximately one hundred new homes. This brings the total of subdivisions under construction at this time to at least thirty, and the Board is kept busy with releases and checking of these as well as older developments.

The 1966 Town Meeting approved a number of zoning changes and Zoning By-Law revisions as well as some twenty-five street acceptances.

At this time, the Planning Board would like to thank the Departments, Boards, and Citizens for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD D. MANNING, Chairman
GORDON C. BRAINERD, V-Chairman
ARTHUR C. FILLMORE, Secretary
VINCENT M. PADULA
THOMAS H. CONWAY, JR.

REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

George R. Cushman	Chairman
Frank P. Bernarducci	Executive Secretary
Jeremiah B. Mulcahy	Member
Marcello Olivieri	Member
Joseph L. Ryan	Member
Paul L. Whitley	Recreation Director

Meetings

The Recreation Commission meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Recreation Office in the Memorial High School. Other meetings are held whenever necessary to determine policies or alter plans for the administration of the Recreation Program.

Program

The present Recreation Program consists of: An eight-week Summer Playground program for school age youngsters, a fifteen-week Winter indoor program for school age youngsters, two boys' bowling leagues, a girls' bowling league, a special swim meet and a golf tournament. For adults there is a golf class, a twi-baseball team, basketball league, a men's recreation class, a women's recreation class and a Golden Age Club.

Summer Playgrounds

There are six active playgrounds in the Town, where recreation activities take place 5 days a week over an eight-week period, from the last week in June through the second week in August.

Winter Recreation Centers

There are four Winter Recreation Centers, located at the Kennedy, Dutile, Junior High and Ditson Schools. Activities for school age youngsters take place in these centers each Saturday for a 15-week period during the winter months.

Twi-League Baseball

During the late spring and summer, baseball competition in the Minute Man Twi-League takes place at the Akerson and Kohlrausch Playground. This team was set up primarily for boys and men of post-high school age.

Basketball League

On Wednesday evenings, at the Memorial High School Gym, a fifteen-week adult basketball tournament is conducted during the winter months.

Adult Recreation Centers

There are two adult recreation centers operating during the winter months. Women meet at the Junior High School Gym on Thursday evenings and men at the same gym on Wednesday evenings. Physical Education and Recreational activities are offered for a fifteen-week period.

Golden Age Club

This group was originally organized and now sponsored by the Recreation Commission. All senior citizens 60 years or over are eligible to join.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR

Ending December 31, 1966

Appropriation:	
Salaries	$ 10,430.00
Expenses	4,453.36
Golden Age	500.00
Total Budget for 1966	$ 15,383.36
Expended:	
Salaries	$ 10,430.00
Expenses:	
Administration	$ 148.78
Athletic Equipment	1,042.84
Arts and Crafts	548.57
Awards	400.00
Games and Equipment	256.17
Maintenance	400.00
Dues	7.00
Postage	21.00
Clerical	79.00
Director's Expense	150.00
Instructor's Expense	172.00
Film	50.00
Tables	102.00
Printing	294.00
First Aid	48.00
Officiation	714.00
Total Expenses	$ 4,453.00

Golden Age Club	500.00
Total Expended	$ 15,296.00
Unexpended Balance to the Town Treasurer	87.00

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL L. WHITLEY
Director of Recreation

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The report of the Nursing Service under the direction of the Health Department for the year 1966 follows:

A total of 602 persons received service in the following categories: Tuberculosis, Crippled Children, Rheumatic and Cardiac disfunction, Premature Infant, Veterans services as ordered by the Veterans Administration, exclusive of persons referred by hospitals and doctors for visits in the home for re-dressings, hypodermic medications and other nursing care in medical, surgical, pre-natal, post-natal and children's services.

Persons ill with terminal cancer numbered six during the year, while others among the group with diagnoses of malignancy were making good gains following surgery, their hospital or doctor's reports revealed, as the year ended.

Polio vaccine was given in the spring season to pre-schoolers, with the group including children new to the town.

An allergy program as the year ends has three patients, with courses of treatment directed by Boston hospitals and one private dermatologist.

The Tuberculosis follow-up program numbered 304 visits. A Tuberculosis testing program was planned in conjunction with the school department, with a 1967 date to be set for the Tyne testing procedure for an approximate 1,376 children and 389 school employees.

A total of 51 persons requested visits during the year, and were referred to their physicians. No medical referral followed. Social service was given 61 persons, and included arrangements for clinical care, X-ray arrangements, instructions interpreted in conjunction with their home care, arrangements for facilities offered by other organizations were arranged.

Appreciation is expressed to families for assistance received with patient care. To all who in any way contributed to a pleasant year of service, the nurses are grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN J. HARRINGTON, R.N.
BARBARA B. GEORGE, R.N.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Health respectfully submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1966.

During the past year there was constant activity in all phases of the public health field and we would like to avail ourselves the opportunity to give you our impression pertaining to all the categories of environmental health.

First that Billerica is an excellent example of community cooperation. Community cooperation with the local board of health is all the more needed now because the task of providing health services required by law and of enforcing the statutory rules and regulations becomes more complex every year.

This complexity is a reflection of the increasing complication of our existence brought about by our population expansion and our technological advances. Communities are no longer self contained units of population. A man may live in one town, work in another and eat and play in still a third. The hygenic standards of a community, thus affects more than its residents and it is important that there be a minimum of standards below which none shall fall.

The State Sanitary Code is a major step towards providing standards applicable throughout the Commonwealth. To date, eight articles have been made law. These deal with general application, human habitation, farm labor camps, recreational camps, developed family type campgrounds, disposal of sewage in unsewered areas, food service establishments and bathing places.

Public Health is concerned not only with environmental sanitation but also with personal health. Rules and regulations for Day Care Services for Children which provide for the raising of standards of care of children in nursery school, kindergartens etc., were adapted in December 1963.

Both this and the Articles of the Sanitary Code were passed into law only after consultation with officials of local health services and after public hearings. The Billerica Health Department staff was involved in these regulations.

As these new articles are in the process of being introduced to the local communities, it appears to us that the local health services seem to be in the process of transition from a simple to a complex and specialized organization. In fact, public health is moving along the same path of specialization and technological advances as are most other human activities today. The majority of public health administrators in our experience recognize the importance of local health authorities and would like to see them adapt to the changing age. Unless adaptation does not take place there is a danger of local health authority being shorn of its powers.

The kind of adaptation needed to meet the stress of today is exactly that which our fore fathers took to create this great country of ours and ours to provide a unified but diversified service tailored to meet needs while conforming to State Standards.

Complete programs in environmental health, communicable disease, nursing service, child health and health information, are planned for the coming year. These activities are all to serve to your town's interest and signify that the citizens of Billerica have a health service of which they may well be proud.

We are grateful to other town departments, individuals, organizations and the clergy, for their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK H. GOULD, Chairman
FREDERICK G. BROWN
WARREN A. HOOKWAY
RICHARD R. ALBANESE, R.S., Dir.

REPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

All of the necessary program papers required by the United States Department of Civil Defense and the Massachusetts Department of Disaster Control have been submitted for the year 1966 and all have been approved.

Billerica is now entitled to receive matching funds under all existing Civil Defense programs. This past year, the Federal Government paid for half the administrative expenses and salaries which came to $1,628.13, reimbursement to the Town of Billerica, and we have been assured that this program will continue in years to come.

During the year courses were held in First Aid, Shelter Management and Underwater search and rescue. The Auxiliary Police and Fire Department have their own continuous training programs. All newly trained personnel have been assigned.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all Town Officials, Department Heads and their personnel as well as residents for all their cooperation and assistance given me during the year. With your continued cooperation, Billerica Civil Defense will continue to grow as part of your public safety program making your home safer from natural and man-made disasters.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. FARIA
Civil Defense Director

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' SERVICE CENTER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

This year a very welcome and needed person was added to the Veterans' Benefits staff, Mrs. Bertha Baro as secretary. Now it is possible to keep the office open daily, Monday thru Friday, from 9:30 A.M. to 1:30 P.M. as well as Monday evening from 7:30 to 9:30 P.M., for far better service for our veterans and their dependents.

In 1966 we assisted more veterans and dependents than in any previous years but we were able to cut our costs to the town by getting additional state and federal aid.

The year 1967 will show another increase in our case load as the town continues to grow and our vet population expands as the Vietnam Vet becomes eligible for assistance.

I wish to thank all town officials for their cooperation during the past year. For details of expenditures please see the Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,
CHESTER SANDBERG
Veterans' Agent

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Due to the rapid growth of the Town, there has also been an increase in use of the cemetery facilities. We are rapidly running out of developed space for burials and again this year, we will ask for maney to be transferred out of the Sale of Lot funds, four further development at Fox Hill Cemetery.

We are asking for the same appropriations this year that we had last year because of the available income from Trust Funds. We hope to be able to carry on without making the Cemetery Department any increased burden to the tax payers. The time has come, however, that we will probably have to increase the size of the Department because of the increased growth in the Town.

The Commission regrets the retirement of John Bicknell who served as Superintendent of the Cemetery Department for many years. We are in the process of Civil Service procedure now, to have a replacement named.

The Commission also regrets the fact that our faithful Secretary for many years, Evelyn Spaulding, because of failing health, has chosen not to run for re-election.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED H. BROWN, Chairman
Cemetery Commission

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1966.

Permits were issued in the following manner for the year:

New Single Dwellings	321
New Duplex Dwellings	11
(Total dwelling units 343)	
Additions and Alterations to Dwellings	118
Garages and Private Dwellings	14
Roofing and Siding	84
New Commercial Buildings	7
Additions and Alterations to Commercial Buildings	13
Structures (pools, signs, water tower, etc.)	48
Poultry House	1
Horse Barn	1
Demolition	39
Total Permits Issued	657
Estimated Cost of New Construction	$5,452,927.00
Fees Collected and Paid to Town Treasurer	7,397.58
Fees from Sale of Building Code Books	69.00
Received and Paid to Town Treasurer	$ 7,466.58
Plumbing Permits Issued	404
Gas Permits Issued	417
Total Permits Issued	821
Plumbing Fees Collected	$2,016.00
Gas Fees Collected	834.00
Received and Paid to Town Treasurer	$2,850.00

In addition to the issuance of the above permits, the department has expended considerable time on the enforcement of the Zoning By-Laws, Plumbing and Gas Laws, and all other by-laws which come within its jurisdiction.

There has been a small decrease in the total amount of building permits issued. Due to a change in the Building Code pertaining to duplex dwellings, there has been a significant decrease in the number of permits issued for duplex dwellings. In addition there has been a slight decrease in the total amount of plumbing and gas permits issued.

Legal action has been instituted against several violators of the Building Code and Zoning By-Laws. This action resulted in the Town losing two criminal cases and winning two zoning cases. Two cases

were settled prior to trial. In addition, the Plumbing and Gas Inspector, without court action attained compliance in correcting forty-eight cases of defective gas piping and appliances, and twenty-eight cases of violations regarding water heater installations, within the Town.

In an effort to maintain equitable enforcement and interpretation of all local and state ordinances which come within the jurisdiction of the Building Department, the members of the department have devoted many hours in conference with Town Counsel, Board of Appeal, Planning Board, Board of Health and State Inspectors.

The Inspectors continue to devote as much time as the schedule allows to the demolition of sub-standard buildings within the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE R. DeBENEDICTIS
Building Inspector
Town of Billerica

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF WIRES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1966:

Wiring Permits Issued	637
Amounts received and turned in to Town Treasurer	$ 3,210.00
Salary	1,800.00
Expenses:	
Mileage	500.00
Office Expense	82.25
Asst. Inspector	800.00

It is expected that an increase in industrial permits and home permits will keep us busier in 1967 than ever.

I wish to thank all officers of the Town for their cooperation in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. HUGHES
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Public Welfare respectfully submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1966.

The past year was one of constant change and increased costs. While unemployment is not significant, the new notions and liberalization of the categorical accounts have increased case loads and costs. Budgets, hospital rates, nursing home rates, and doctors' fees were given increases. On September 1st, a new category known as Medical Assistance was developed, separating budget grants from medical care. This is in accordance with Federal regulations and Medicaid, Title XIX, and they take fifty percent of the cost.

We are now able to supply medical care to many children under twenty-one years of age who have been sadly neglected in the past because of income not being adequate to cover medical needs. Eligibility must be established and the means test is still a factor, although liberalized. We have been involved with medicare for the past six months and, while it appears of value to our senior citizens, we have had insufficient experience to determine trends. This is due, in fact, to the arrearage of bills being returned by the carriers of this medical program.

Social welfare is a positive approach, with motivation of purpose to assist a whole person in need, to identify the many problems in poverty and depravation. Philosophy and concepts have changed because of the millions of tax dollars spent in the recent past to supply the economic need without satisfaction or reward, and with no horizon in view. Now, the total need is evaluated with respect to, and the understanding of the physical, spiritual, and economic needs, with referral if necessary.

The page has been turned, and while payment has been set by state standards, it is not the major factor. The Great Society, Civil Rights, and the drive on poverty have all added up to the fact that depravation is not a malady, but is a costly condition which is part of a fast changing, affluent society. It is a machine without a motor, a body without a soul, a method without a reason, contained and restrained with no alternatives. Survival is not enough and millions of dollars are being spent to try to resolve this complicated ethos so that all can enjoy freedom. Then, and only then, can we hope to solve the problems of child behavior, school drop outs, and marriage based on little more than physical sex and hope that the intrinsic reaction will produce extraordinary results.

We are grateful to other town departments, individuals, organizations, and the clergy, or their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

For details of receipts and expenditures, see Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. MORRIS, Chairman
JAMES J. TORPEY
ARTHUR R. HALLENBORG
RICHARD F. CONWAY
Secretary and Director

REPORT OF THE BENNETT PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The operating year, 1966, again increased in circulation to 78,713. The Library use continues to climb upward steadily each year, and the Association has exerted every effort to keep pace by improving facilities, providing longer hours, and improving and increasing the Library material content.

The Library hours were increased during 1966, and additionally the Library was kept open each week-day during the summer months. This proved very useful to many people and provided more equitable opportunity to the diverse age groups.

The facilities were substantially improved by a complete new lighting system, and repairs and painting to the ceiling. Roof repairs were required again, and this appears to be an annual requirement, considering the design and age of the building.

The Library personnel have given efficient and dedicated service, with the increased usage placing additional demands upon them. We did lose our custodian, Mr. Peterson, by resignation due to health. He will be warmly remembered for his years of tireless, cheerful, and diversified service.

Among the donations last year, was a very generous contribution from the Billerica Letter Carriers Association, for use in adding to the books of the Library. Our appreciation for their thoughtfulness is here acknowledged.

We again recommend that the townspeople give thought to the time when the physical limitations of the Bennett Public Library are exceeded by the population increase and demands. The Association Board of Directors is giving continuous study to this impending problem, and will stand ready to act as a resource of information when definitive action is required.

All residents of the Town are invited and encouraged to join the work of the Association by becoming active members. For the nominal annual dues of $1.00, each can and should join in this most worthwhile activity which provides vital service and tax-relief to the Town of Billerica.

Respectfully submitted,

The Board of Directors of the
Bennett Public Library Association

BILLERICA TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Forest Committee lost two of its members, Dr. William Davis and George Flint, both of whom moved out of town. I wish to thank them for their support and their service. The two new members appointed to replace them are Joseph A. Gallant and Charles O. Hallenborg.

A C P work on a cost sharing basis was carried out on a ten acre section. This program improves the timber stand and increases the log yield and timber quality. This practice will be continued this year under a new contract.

A multiple use pond for wild life and fire protection, has been designed for the Jones Memorial Town Forest by Frederic B. Giebel, Work Unit Conservationist of the Middlesex Conservation District. The Committee is asking Town Meeting members to approve a Warrant article for $1,000.00 (one thousand dollars) to be transferred from the Forest Fund for this purpose.

On May 7, 1966 Billerica was honored by having a joint Forestry meeting with the Mass. Forest and Parks Association. Held at the Town Hall and the Jones Memorial Forest. Transportation and refreshments were furnished through the courtesy of Mass. Forest and Parks Association. The distinguished group of Conservation Leaders that spoke were, John H. Noyes, Extension Forester, University of Mass. His topic was "Values and Uses of Town Forests." Willard Estes, Jr., Forester, Dept. of Natural Resources, who marked the tree that was harvested, his topic was "Explanation of Harvested Areas." Frederic Giebel, whose topic was "Pond Site, Fire Protection, Wildlife, Recreation." Thomas Sheehan, Division of Fisheries and Game, his topic - "Wildlife Management and Hunting and Fishing Aspects."

Also speaking was Charles Roth, Director of Education, Mass. Audubon Society, whose topic was "Conservation, Education and Nature Study." William Benson, South Acton office A S C P, his topic was ACP Programs. And Gustav Wagner, Chairman of Billerica Town Forest Committee whose topic was "The History, Development and Present Programs of the Billerica Town Forest." The topic of Joseph T. Brown, Director Middlesex County Extension Service was, "County Extension Services Available to Town Forests." Benjamin W. Nason, Executive Director, Mass. Forest and Parks Association, whose topic was "Legislation Relative to Town Forests."

The Committee wishes to thank the Board of Selectmen for their cooperation in the use of the Town Hall and Arthur Hallenborg, State Fire Warden, Department of Natural Resources for his stand by fire

Watch. Also a thank you to Al Oxton, Boy Scout leader and his boys for the fine support and demonstrations at the meeting.

The Jones Forest was used extensively during the year on week ends by all Scout Troops in the town. The Committee wishes to thank the boys and girls who used the Forest, for the fine job they did in maintaining the grounds and camp sites.

The Committee would like to remind the townspeople that under General Laws Chapter 132, Section 35, the Town may acquire by gifts or bequest, lands for the purpose of forestation. If you have a parcel of land you would like to give or set aside as a memorial for a loved one, contact your Forest Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

GUSTAV WAGNER
Chairman

REPORT OF THE BILLERICA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The commission, in the past year, has had many meetings with various representatives of industries desirous of learning more about Billerica, with the possibility of locating here. Some of these people were looking for concessions, from the town, which we informed them were impossible.

Members of the Industrial Commission attended a joint meeting with the Board of Selectmen, on the needs of the U.B.S. Chemical Co. which has plans to construct a one million dollar complex in the Boston & Maine industrial area in North Billerica. The company's plans call for the plant to be completed in 1968.

The committee met with Mr. Racicot, the new public works administrator, who assured us he would do all he could to induce industry to settle in Billerica. A joint meeting with the Board of Selectmen and the 128 Realty Trust relative to improving Manning Road was attended by members of the commission.

The commission also hired an advertising man to prepare a completely new industrial brochure. We think that this new brochure will assist greatly in selling the town to industry.

The committee wishes to thank all, who in any way, have assisted us in our efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. CURRY
Chairman

REPORT OF THE BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

With the amending of the Zoning By-Laws to allow multiple dwellings for the elderly at the March 1966, Town Meeting, the Kennelly property on River Street was approved for the Pilot Project, Housing for the Senior Citizens of Billerica. It was a busy year for the Housing Authority.

On April 1, 1966, the Financial Agreement between the State Housing Board and the Authority, was signed. We were both pleased and saddened on this day, member Oliver P. Greenwood having passed away in the morning.

The Union National Bank, Lowell, Massachusetts, was designated the Fiscal Agent, and the Bonds of the Authority were sold in May.

Appraisal, Surveying, Legal Counsel, Test Borings and Architect, in this order, voted and approved.

Failing to reach an agreement as to price with the owners of the proposed site, the Authority at a Special Meeting on August 31, 1966, voted authorization to Chairman Joseph Johnson to sign the Order of Taking by Eminent Domain. Also in August the number of units was increased by four, making a total of sixty-four units and a centrally located community building.

Percolation and test pits, under the supervision of the State Department of Public Health, proved satisfactory for on site sewage system in the event a delay occurs in the Phase 1 of the Town sewage system.

Specifications and plans were completed and approval was given by the State Housing Board to advertise for bids for construction on December 28, 1966.

Many meetings were held and many hours were spent by the members in the planning of the Oliver P. Greenwood Housing for The Senior Citizens. We are sure, not only the Senior Citizens but all the Towns' people, will appreciate the end result.

This facility, costing over ¾ million dollars is entirely self-liquidating and self-supporting, thus not adding to the Real Estate Tax.

For the co-operation of the many Town Boards and individuals, we are truly grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Chairman
LEONARD H. HARMON, V-Chairman
WILLIAM T. DESMOND, Treasurer
RUTH M. McCUE, Secretary
Billerica Housing Authority

REPORT OF SANITARIAN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I, again, have the honor to present the report of the Sanitarian, for the year ending, December 31, 1966.

Routine inspections of food handling establishments were conducted as in previous years with bacterial swabs taken of eating and drinking utensils at those establishments serving food or drink. Food items found to be unfit for human consumption were promptly disposed of.

Milk and cream samples were taken at random and examined for conformance of state standards.

Citizens contacted me many times during the year in regard to questions on the storage and protection of foods. I will give a brief explanation of this problem as I feel that it is a concern of everyone in the community.

It has been proven that infection of foods, followed by storage at room temperatures, result in food poisoning. Therefore protection of foods against infection and proper storage after handling are important. Common practice in the past has been to require the storage of foods at temperatures less than 50°F. This may have been a reasonable requirement when ice was depended upon for refrigeration but mechanical refrigeration permits storage at lower temperatures with the accompanying additional protection.

The National Sanitation Clinic recommends that the maximum air temperature be 40° F. for the storage of raw meat, raw poultry, eggs, milk, cheese and butter when the storage period is to be less than seven days. Foods which have been cooked should be cooled as quickly as possible through the danger zone of quick bacterial multiplication (98° — 60°F.) and stored at 40°F. or lower until served. The cooling being done in the refrigerator. This procedure applies to meats, poultry, sliced meats, sea foods, minced foods, sandwich fillings, egg salad mixtures and similar foods that are not kept hot while being served.

Custard and custard-filled pastries containing fresh eggs and milk are frequently involved in disease outbreaks and should be cooled to 40°F. within an hour after preparation. All such products exceeding twenty-four hours in age should be destroyed. An exception is made with hot custards which must be maintained and served at temperatures exceeding 150°F.

It is recommended that the minimum holding temperature of hot foods be 150°F. If the hot foods cannot be kept at this temperature for

any reason, they should be cooled rapidly to 40° F. or less and then brought up to 150°F. before re-serving. This applies to foods of animal origin and those containing protein.

Other important requirements include the elimination of those persons who have colds, lung infections or who have pimples or other pus-containing lesions on their hands or arms from handling food and keeping to a minimum the handling of all foods that have been cooked or that are served raw. Butter and ice should not be touched by the bare hands.

In closing, I wish to thank the board and other town officials and departments for their cooperation in the administration of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. RIMBACH, R.S.
Sanitarian

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

During the year ending December 31, 1966 the Board of Appeals held forty-five (45) hearings on Appeals.

Decisions were rendered by the Board on all hearings and the copies of all decisions have been filed in the Office of the Town Clerk as required by law.

Nine Hundred eighty dollars in fees were collected from the appellants to cover the cost of advertising and postage for the hearings, and the monies have been turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Several hearings on Part 1, Section 5, of the Building Code and Regulations entitled "Relief from the By-Law" were heard by the Board, and decisions were posted in the office of the Building Inspector as required and copies were filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH H. JOHNSON
Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Valuation of Tax Exempted Property

Religious, Charitable, etc.	$ 678,160.00
County of Middlesex	2,564,000.00
Billerica, Town of	4,908,130.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	9,200.00
United State Government	2,000.00
	$8,161,490.00
Amount Set up for Overlay	208,385.64
Abatements and Exemptions	205,886.61

Abatements and Exemptions

Chapter 59, Sec. 5, Clause 22 Disabled Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, and Widows, World War I Widows, Gold Star Parents, Holders of the Purple Heart, etc.	102,318.28
Chapter 59, Sec. 5, Clause 17, 18, 37 and 41 Widows, Persons over 70, Blind, etc.	99,564.33
Adjustments, Form 127 and 128	4,004.00
	$ 205,886.61

Motor Vehicle Excise

Committed to Tax Collector	Levy 1965	36,431.46
	Levy 1966	480,430.75
		516,862.21

Motor Vehicle Excise Abatements

Cars and trucks traded, duplicate registrations, etc.		
	Levy 1964	62.70
	Levy 1965	11,627.29
	Levy 1966	43,548.72
		$ 55,238.71

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the various Departments for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY F. COLLINS
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
AUSTIN P. BENT
Board of Assessors

REPORT OF BILLERICA CONSERVATION COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Regular monthly and special meetings were held throughout the year. Members traveled to Chelmsford, Topsfield, Auburn, Acton, Concord, Lincoln and Boston to meet with the Association of Conservation Commissions, Dept. of Natural Resources, Middlesex Conservation District, Extension Service and the Audubon Society.

In support of Conservation Education, the Commission supplied the Bennett Public Library with six Conservation books.

As a result of last year's meeting with the Bedford Conservation Commission, legislation was drawn up by your commission and presented to the Legislature by Rep. Stanley J. Bocko. Chapter 435 was amended — To authorize the Water Resource Commission to establish flood plain encroachment lines on the Shawsheen River.

Chapter 220, the wetlands bill, has taken many hours of the Commission's time — five days were spent in the field with the Department of Natural Resources enforcement officer. Violations were check in all parts of town. Six concurrences were given by the Dept. of Natural Resources and five cease orders were given. The Commission held meetings with the Selectmen, Planning Board, Board of Appeals, School Building Committee and interested parties on procedures in filing and enforcement of the bill.

The Commission signed an agreement for technical assistance with the Middlesex Conservation District on January 10, 1966. In relation to a proposed 15 acre recreation pond off Pond St. The site was approved, reports and plans were prepared, but the project was bogged down at a meeting held May 24, 1966 with the Selectmen, Planning Board and Board of Appeals, because of inadequate zoning by-laws. Town counsel has drawn up an article with the proper language to allow the construction of ponds in town. This amendment to the zoning by-laws will appear in our March Town Warrant and should be given serious consideration.

At a special meeting held December 13, 1966 jointly with the Planning Board and Middlesex Conservation District, the advisability of setting up a Natural Resource Inventory was explored and agreed upon. The Town to share part of the cost. An article has been placed in the March 1967 Town Warrant, requesting the sum of $2,000.00 (two thousand dollars) to defray expenses of such an inventory.

The Commission met with the Middlesex Conservation District and Mr. McCue at Nutting Lake, and with the Division of Water Ways in Boston, relative to cleaning up the lake and controlling the water level. Town meeting members will have to decide on this matter, by approv-

ing or disapproving an article submitted by this Commission to appear in the March 1967 Town Warrant.

The Commission would like to remind townspeople that under Chapter 40, Section 86, they can make tax deductible gifts of property, both real and personal in the name of the Town, through the Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

GUSTAV WAGNER, Chairman
Billerica Conservation Commission

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen 5 January, 1967

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is the report of the Weights and Measures Department for the year 1966.

	Sealed	Adjusted
Scales over 10,000 lbs.	2	
Scales over 5,000 lbs.	1	
Scales over 100 lbs.	9	1
Scales over 10 lbs.	77	7
Scales less than 10 lbs.	18	2
A.V.D.P. Weights	44	
Apothecary and Troy Weights	18	
Gasoline Meters	65	6
Grease Meters	12	
Vehicle Tank	1	
Fabric Meter	1	
Wire-Rope-Corage	2	
Scales Condemned	2	

Fees Deposited with Town Treasurer — $437.70

The re-checking of prepackaged commodities, which are many and varied, is an essential function of the Sealer. This has been accomplished by constant supervision and reweighings. It assures accuracy for consumer and merchant. Spot re-evaluation of gasoline meters, for price and quantity delivered, was done periodically. Numerous complaints were received and each was investigated and adjudicated.

To all who co-operated with this department, Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. CONSIDINE
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report for the year 1966.

Cash on Hand January 1, 1966	$ 1,136,396.66
Receipts to December 31, 1966	11,766,885.04
	$12,903,281.70
Paid on Warrants drawn by Town Accountant to December 31, 1966	$11,859,116.60
Balance at The First National Bank of Boston	28,437.41
Balance at The Merchants National Bank	15,000.00
Balance at The Arlington Trust Co.	29,011.80
Balance at The First Bank and Trust Co.	47,421.01
Balance at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank	3,437.61
Balance at The Middlesex County National Bank	920,857.27
	$12,903,281.70

For detail of receipts and expenditures see Town Accountant's Report

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. FOWLER
Town Treasurer

TAX COLLECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as your Collector of Taxes for the Year 1966.

	1953-1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	TOTALS
MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-66	$20,685.67	$ 6,193.70	$ 6,274.87	$11,374.59	$12,722.02	$ 46,531.42	$	$ 103,782.27
1966 Commitments						46,917.82	480,430.75	527,348.57
Refunds	3.00					5,182.32	9,380.07	14,565.39
Cash Collected	92.04	38.51	155.18	340.86	1,260.39	61,376.17	384,505.74	447,768.89
Abatements					62.70	11,627.29	43,548.82	55,238.81
Uncollected Balance 12-31-66	20,596.63	6,155.19	6,119.69	11,033.73	11,398.93	25,628.10	61,756.26	142,688.53
POLL TAXES								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-66	100.00	116.00	100.00	542.00				858.00
Refunds			6.00					6.00
Cash Collected	16.00	6.00	6.00	12.00				40.00
Uncollected Balance 12-31-66	84.00	110.00	100.00	530.00				824.00
PERSONAL PROPERTY								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-66	6,874.58	1,817.22	1,987.20	2,067.20	2,239.52	20,740.75		35,726.47
1966 Commitments							278,789.76	278,789.76
Refunds						22.30		22.30
Cash Collected	696.48	51.15	0.00	98.90	15.75	18,566.16	204,397.80	223,826.24
Abatements					350.20	39.55		389.75
Transferred to Special Account (Bond Protection)							16,240.00	16,240.00
Uncollected Balance 12-31-66	6,178.10	1,766.07	1,987.20	1,968.30	1,873.57	2,157.34	58,151.96	74,082.54
REAL ESTATE								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-66	2,490.69	571.02	2,141.11	4,474.53	35,802.14	184,704.17		230,183.66
1966 Commitments							3,634,837.96	3,634,837.96
Refunds			58.01		7.52	982.55	27,532.62	28,580.70
Cash Collected	29.10	27.90	429.48	1,128.39	28,442.98	131,114.23	3,112,804.31	3,273,976.39
Abatements				214.70	156.56	1,015.87	204,827.76	206,214.89
Transferred to Tax Title					2,708.71	2,597.87	24,216.16	29,522.74

Transferred to Special Account (Bond Protection)							72,422.28	72,422.28
Uncollected Balance 12-31-66	2,461.59	543.12	1,769.64	3,131.44	4,501.41	50,958.75	248,100.07	311,466.02

FARM ANIMAL EXCISE

Uncollected Balance 1-1-66	3.13		50.00	30.00				83.13
1966 Commitments							92.70	92.70
Cash Collected							64.95	64.95
Uncollected Balance 12-31-66	3.13		50.00	30.00			27.75	110.88

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

	ESTATES DECEASED PERSONS		WATER LIENS				STREET BETTERMENTS			COM. INT. (On St. Bet.)		
	TOTAL ALL YEARS	1959	1963	1964	1965	1966	1964	1965	1966	1964	1965	1966
Uncollected Balance 1-1-66	1,957.30	83.76	47.53	987.54	2,900.33		230.73	743.50		184.36	437.33	
1966 Commitments						3,437.88			4,042.96			2,059.02
1966 Pd. Adv. Comm. St. Bett.									3,888.73			
Refunds			100.22		83.74							
Cash Collected			125.22	620.91	1,571.10	2,039.88	176.95	591.90	3,224.82	143.50	343.05	1,611.02
Cash (Pd. Adv. St. Bett.)									3,888.73			
Abatements				122.00	183.93							
Transferred to Tax Title				95.20		147.89	41.27	41.27	163.78	31.36	29.71	111.35
Uncollected Balance 12-31-66	1,957.30	83.76	22.53	149.43	1,299.04	1,250.01	12.50	110.33	654.36	9.50	64.57	336.65

FEES and INTEREST SCHEDULE

Fees Collected and Paid to Town Treasurer ..	6,609.60
Fees and Interest added to Tax Titles	798.51
Trailer Fees or Tax Paid to Treasurer	3,406.00
Interest Collected and Paid to Treasurer	9,861.69
Fees for Municipal Lien Certified to Treasurer	2,088.00
Fees Dissolving Betterment to Treasurer	26.00
	17,789.80

TAXES TRANSFERRED TO SPECIAL ACCOUNT - FOR BOND PROTECTION (An Act of the Legislature)

Personal Property 1960 thru 1965	0.00	Real Estate 1960	59,255.17	Total P.P.	16,240.00
Personal Property 1966	16,240.00	1961	56,811.65	Total R.E.	441,673.82
		1962	58,980.29		
		1963	59,334.91	Grand Total	$457,913.82
		1964	64,331.53		
		1965	70,537.99		
		1966	72,422.28		

It has been an honor to serve the Town of Billerica in the Office of Collector of Taxes. My office staff and I wish to thank all the Town officers and employees for their cooperative spirit during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. MONAHAN
Collector of Taxes.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

of Property, and Taxes, as Assessed January 1, 1966
FOR BILLERICA

Compiled from the figures as entered on the tax list.
Not including figures relating to EXEMPTED PROPERTY or to the MOTOR VEHICLE and TRAILER EXCISE or to LIVE STOCK subject to FARM ANIMAL EXCISE.

Item No.	Number of Persons Assessed	Individuals	All Others*	Total
1.	On Personal Estate Only	24	47	71
2.	On Real Estate Only	7184	172	7356
3.	On Both Personal and Real Estate (NOT the sum of Items 1 and 2)	385	26	411
4.	**Total Number of Persons Assessed**			7838

*Partnerships, Associations or Trusts, Corporations.

5.	**Value of Assessed Personal Estate**		
6.	Stock in Trade	$ 47,450.00	
7.	Machinery	183,800.00	
8.	Live Stock (Do not include value of farm animals)	3,230.00	
9.	All Other Tangible Personal Property	2,166,080.00	
10.	**Total Value of Assessed Personal Estate**		$ 2,400,560.00
	Value of Assessed Real Estate		
11.	Land exclusive of Buildings	$ 4,317,120.00	
12.	Buildings exclusive of Land	27,015,590.00	
13.	**Total Value of Assessed Real Estate**		$31,332,710.00
14.	**Total Valuation of Assessed Estate**		$33,733,270.00
15.	Tax Rate per $1,000.00 = $116.00		
	Taxes for State, County, and City or Town Purposes, Including Overlay		
16.	On Personal Estate (Item 10 x Item 15) (Do Not Include Farm Animal Excise)	$ 278,464.96	
17.	On Real Estate (Item 13 x Item 15)	3,634,594.36	
19.	Total Taxes Assessed		$ 3,913,059.32

	Number of Live Stock Estimated Under Section 36, Chapter 59	General	Farm Animals Assessed $5 Excise
20.	Horses (1 year old, or over)	59	2

	Neat Cattle: (1 year old, or over)		
21.	Cows (Milch)	3	63
22.	Bulls, Oxen; Yearlings: Steers heifers		
23.	Swine (6 months old, or over)		100
24.	Sheep (6 months old, or over)	10	
25.	Fowl		5,320
26.	All Other - Goats	4	
27.	**Number of Acres of Land Assessed**		16,617
28.	**Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed***		6,531

*Each building used as a dwelling counted as ONE without regard to the number of families housed.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Table of Aggregates as it appears in the Valuation List, according to our best knowledge and belief.

Subscribed this 22nd day of November, 1966, under the penalties of perjury.

HENRY F. COLLINS
AUSTIN P. BENT
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
Board of Assessors of Billerica

To be returned to Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, 80 Mason Street, Boston, Mass. 02105, (Mailing address: P. O. Box 1952, Boston, Mass. 02105 on or before July 1, 1966, as required by General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 84.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BILLERICA 1966 RECAPITULATION

	Figures Used In Fixing Tax Rate G. L. Chap. 59 §§ 23, 25	
A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1965 Tax Rate was Fixed.		
1. Total appropriations to be raised by taxation	$5,523,656.53	
2. Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds:		
(a) In 1966 $20,665.65 (b) In 1965 since 1965 rate was fixed $17,548.54	38,204.19	$5,561,860.72
3. Amount certified by Treasurer for Tax Title foreclosure, $36.00 each, (Chapter 60, § 50B)		
4. Debt and Interest Charges, matured and maturing, as certified under Chapter 44, § 16, NOT included above		15,000.00
5. Amount necessary to satisfy final court judgements:		26,798.92
6. Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years:		
1956 $ 232.00		
1957 176.00		
1959 156.00		
1960 292.00		
1965 23,736.44 Total Deficits to be Carried to Outside Column		24,592.44
8. Any other amount required to be raised:		93,597.72

	1966 Estimates Col. 1 of Cherry Sheet	1965 Underestimates Col. 2 of Cherry Sheet
B. STATE: Tax and Assessments:		
1.		
2. State Parks and Reservations	$ 12,354.49	
3. State Audit of Municipal Accounts	6,999.77	

4.	State Examinaion of Retirement System			
5.	Mosquito Control			
6.	Elderly Retiree Program			
7.	State Assessment System			
8.	Metro Air Pollution Control			
9.	Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	1,814.40		
10.				
11.	Sum of Totals to be Carried to Outside Column	$ 21,168.66		$ 21,168.66

C. COUNTY: Tax and Assessments:

1.	County Tax	$ 89,735.52	$ 5,666.29	
2.	County Hospital Assessment	1,731.96		
3.				
4.	Sum of Totals to be Carried to Outside Column	$ 91,467.48	$ 5,666.29	$ 97,133.77

D. OVERLAY of current year 208,385.64

E. GROSS AMOUNT TO BE RAISED $6,048,537.87

F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS Note.—The amount entered for each of the first four items must be exactly as certified to you.

1.	Income Tax		
2.	Corporation Taxes		
3.	Reimbursement on account of publicly owned Land		
4.	Old Age Tax (Meals), Chapter 64B, S 10 (Col. 3 of Cherry Sheet)		
5.	Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	$ 407,326.20	
6.	Licenses	34,000.00	
7.	Fines	907.00	

8.	Special Assessments	14,000.00
9.	General Government	9,867.00
10.	Protection of Persons and Property	1,546.00
11.	Health and Sanitation	720.00
12.	Highways	
13.	Charities (other than federal grants)	
14.	Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	
15.	Veterans' Services	
16.	School (Funds from Income Tax not to be included)	5,860.00
17.	Libraries	
18.	Recreation	
19.	Public Service Enterprises (such as Water Dept.)	210,600.00
20.	Cemeteries (other than trust funds and sales of lots)	5,274.00
21.	Interest: On Taxes and Assessments $..... On Deposit $..... Total	32,850.00
22.	State Assistance for School Construction — Chapter 645, Acts of 1948	
23.	Farm Animal, Machinery and Equipment Excise	102.00
24.		
25.		1,323,488.67
26.		
27.		
28.	TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	$2,046,540.87

29.	Overestimates of previous year to be used as available funds (Col. 4 of Cherry Sheet):	
	(a) State Parks	$ 833.49
30.	Amounts voted to be taken from available funds:	

Amount	Date of Vote	Source of Funds
$49,900.00	3/66 (Rate)	Free Cash
20,655.65	3/66	Various
17,548.54	11/9/65	Approp. Balances

31. Sum of Amounts to be Carried to Inside Column $ 88,104.19

32. (Add items 29 (a), and item 31) ..... Total Available Funds $ 88,937.68

33. (Add Items 28 and 32) .... **Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds** $2,135,478.55

G. (Item E Less Item F33)

NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY $3,913,059.32

J. Total Personal Property .... $ 2,400,560.00
Valuation: Real Estate 31,332,710.00

Total $33,733,270.00

Personal Property Tax .... $ 278,464.96
Real Estate Tax 3,634,594.36

TAX RATE - $116.00

K. ☐ Gain or ☐ Loss (check which) to avoid fractional divisions of tax rate (adjust overlay).

L. **TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON PROPERTY** $3,913,059.32

(Item L must be the same in Amount as Item G)

M. Items Not Entering into the Determination of the Tax Rate

	Amount	Committed Interest	Total	
1. Betterment and special assessments added to taxes:				
(a) Street	$ 4,042.96	$ 2,059.02	$ 6,101.98	
2. Water Liens added to taxes	3,437.88		3,437.88	
N. (Sum of Totals of Items 1(a) and 2) **TOTAL OF ALL OTHER COMMITMENTS**				9,539.86
O. Total amount of 1966 Taxes on property and of assessmenets added to taxes as committed to Collector				$3,922,599.18

5. **COPY OF FINAL** to be delivered to the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation as soon as 1966 Property Taxes are Committed

#8. Library Aid	$ 4,466.75
School Lunch	29,130.97
	$ 33,597.72
County Retirement	60,000.00
	$ 93,597.72

$ 500.00	3/16/66	Forest Fund
2,500.00	3/16/66	Sales of Lots
10,341.08	3/16/66	Appropriate Balances
2,847.82	3/16/66	Dog Licenses

4,466.75	3/16/66	Library Aid
$20,655.65		

Tax Rate Fixed on July 12, 1966

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY F. COLLINS
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
AUSTIN P. BENT
Board of Assessors
Billerica, Mass.

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Attached herewith is the annual report of this office for the year ended December 31, 1966.

I wish to express my appreciation to the town officers and employees for their assistance and cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH J. McKENNA
Town Accountant

Town of Billerica

ANALYSIS OF TREASURER'S RECEIPTS

Year Ended December 31, 1966

Taxes and Excise from Collector — per Schedule A			
Poll	$	40.00	
Personal Property		223,826.24	
Real Estate		3,273,976.39	
Motor Vehicle Excise		447,768.99	
Farm Animal Excise		64.95	$ 3,945,676.57
Street Betterment Assessments			7,882.41
Tax Title Redemptions			10,245.99
Licenses, Permits and Fees:			
Liquor, Beer and Wine	$	13,314.62	
Sunday		1,588.00	
Common Victualers		102.00	
Marriage		472.00	
Gun		398.00	
Plumbing		1,996.00	
Gas		814.00	
Building		7,397.58	
Wire		3,210.00	
Septic Tanks		3,730.00	
Trailer Fees		3,406.00	
Miscellaneous		308.50	36,736.70
Water Liens Added to Taxes			4,357.21
Court Fines			925.80
Federal Welfare Grants:			
Old Age Assistance	$	55,394.92	

Medical Assistance to the Aged	46,443.08	
Medical Assistance	29,607.78	
Aid to Families with Dependent Children	72,973.49	
Disability Assistance	21,579.29	225,998.56
Federal Aid — Schools:		
Public Law 874	$ 58,435.00	
Public Law 864	830.62	
Public Law 88-210	3,897.00	
Public Law 89-10	16,842.50	80,005.12
Federal Aid — Water Survey		49,375.69
Federal Aid — Sewer Project		192,800.00
State Grant for Library		4,466.75
State Reimbursement — Veterans' Abatements		3,228.28
State Reimbursement — Civil Defense		1,584.82
State Reimbursement — Loss of Taxes		627.98
State Grants for Schools:		
Chapter 70	$ 412,230.29	
Transportation of Pupils	110,240.00	
Special Education Program	35,137.50	
Vocational Education	5,493.88	
Youth Service Board	4,818.62	
School Building Construction	153,296.98	721,217.27
State Allocation of Taxes:		
Corporation Taxes	$ 12,163.41	
Chapter 660 — 1963	56,250.00	
State Tax Basis	148,782.43	
Meals Taxes	10,126.91	227,322.75

DEPARTMENTAL

Town Clerk:		
Mortgages	$ 3,150.00	
Certified Copies	226.00	
Business Certificates	33.00	3,409.00
Town Hall — Rent		480.00
Planning Board		220.00
Board of Appeals		980.00
Map Committee — Sale of Tax Maps		150.84
Police Department:		
Accident Reports	$ 595.99	
Insurance Recovery	66.52	662.51
Fire Department:		
Telephone Commission	$ 162.20	
Insurance Recoveries	1,371.75	

Sale of Junk	83.00	
Sale of Fire Truck	308.50	1,925.45
Building Department — Sale of Code Books		69.00
Board of Health:		
Dumping Fees	$ 860.00	
Nursing Fees	384.50	1,244.50
Sealer of Weights and Measures Fees		437.70
Collector of Taxes:		
Lien Certificates	$ 2,088.00	
Certificates of Betterment Dissolution	26.00	2,114.00
Treasurer:		
Certificates of Tax Title Redemption		34.00
Board of Public Welfare:		
Temporary Aid, Support and Burials — State Grants		4,266.87
Disability Assistance — State Grants		21,822.44
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — State Grants		56,642.65
Medical Assistance to the Aged — State Grants		36,910.13
Medical Assistance — State Grants		14,183.77
Old Age Assistance:		
State Grants	$ 21,498.96	
Individuals	11,167.49	32,666.45
Veterans' Benefits:		
State Grants	$ 54,865.53	
Individuals	3,986.00	58,851.53
Public Works Department:		
Chapter 90 Construction — State	$ 8,231.89	
Chapter 90 Construction — County	8,891.56	
Chapter 90 Maintenance — State	1,500.00	
Chapter 90 Maintenance — County	1,500.00	
Insurance Proceeds	248.00	
Sale of Equipment	125.30	
Sale of Generator	5,500.00	
Sale of Truck	700.00	26,696.75
School Department:		
School Lunch Program	$ 257,090.50	
Athletic Receipts	3,901.35	
Rentals	1,605.00	
Industrial Arts	257.55	
Adult Education Fees	558.50	
Summer School Tuition	3,399.00	
Insurance Proceeds — High School	24,879.66	

Other Insurance Proceeds		1,391.00	
School Band Fees		268.40	
Miscellaneous		304.65	293,655.61
Cemetery Department:			
Sale of Lots and Graves	$	2,440.00	
Care of Lots and Graves		9.00	
Burials and Foundations		5,652.00	
Perpetual Care Bequests		3,575.00	
Sale of Truck		15.00	11,691.00
Water Department:			
Sale of Water	$	186,804.82	
Installations		19,913.31	
Repairs		1,118.56	207,836.69
Sewerage System Receipts			6,992.49

OTHER RECEIPTS

Sale of Tax Possession Land			1,655.32
Taxes on Tax Possession Land Sold			226.01
Advertising Reimbursement on Tax Possession Land Sold			14.99
Rental of Memorial Field			45.00
Rental of Water Tower Space			420.00
County Allocation of Dog License Income			2,847.82
Tax Anticipation Loan Proceeds			1,800,000.00
Treble Cove Road Water Extension — Loan Proceeds			28,000.00
Interest:			
Deferred Taxes	$	9,861.69	
Tax Titles Redeemed		469.67	
Cemetery Funds		452.65	
Street Betterment Assessments		2,097.57	
Certificates of Indebtedness		50,263.14	
Faulkner Fund — Library		45.50	
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund		320.00	
School Trust Funds		3,387.81	
Forest Fund		141.57	
Stabilization Fund		2,535.76	69,575.36
State Withholding Tax Compensation			262.47
Group Life Insurance Return Premiums			3,402.67
Group Hospitalization Insurance Return Premiums			1,555.00
Cemetery — Withdrawals from Income Accounts			1,100.00
Cemetery — Withdrawal from Gray Fund			100.00
Bowers Fund — Withdrawal			500.00
Lowell Gas Company Grant — East Billerica School			8,860.00

Massachusetts Electric Company Grant — Treble Cove School		2,500.00
Fees on Taxes Collected		6,609.60
Sale of Master Plan Books		22.50
Sale of Gravel — Chapter 40		63.50
Employee Deductions:		
Group Insurance	$ 45,020.72	
Retirement System	58,366.21	
State Tax	51,280.29	
Federal Tax	393,000.44	
Savings Bonds	11,958.84	559,626.50
Dog Licenses Collected for County		4,782.75
Sale of Dogs — Collected for County		66.00
Planning Board — Performance Bond Receipts		6,100.00
Deposit — Nashua Road Drainage Contract		1,010.00
Deposit — Boston Road Sidewalk Project		10.00
Certificates of Deposit Matured		2,800,000.00
Stabilization Fund Investment Matured		150,000.00
Refunds:		
General Departments	$ 19,902.84	
Prior Year's Appropriations	1,231.43	21,134.27
TOTAL RECEIPTS		$11,766,885.04

TAX AND EXCISE RECEIPTS

Schedule A

Year Ended December 31, 1966

Year	Poll	Personal Property	Real Estate	Motor Vehicle	Farm Animal	Total
1954				$ 4.00		$ 4.00
1955		$ 13.28		16.94		30.22
1956	$ 2.00	45.37		14.28		61.65
1957		59.16		11.76		70.92
1958	4.00			2.26		6.26
1959	6.00	412.81		40.80		459.61
1960	4.00	165.86	$ 29.10	2.00		200.96
1961	6.00	51.15	27.90	38.51		123.56
1962	6.00		429.48	155.18		590.66
1963	12.00	98.90	1,128.39	340.86		1,580.15
1964		15.75	28,442.98	1,260.39		29,719.12
1965		18,566.16	131,114.23	61,376.17		211,056.56
1966		204,397.80	3,112,804.31	384,505.84	$64.95	3,701,772.90
TOTAL	$40.00	$223,826.24	$3,273,976.39	$447,768.99	$64.95	$3,945,676.57

Town of Billerica

ANALYSIS OF BUDGET ITEMS

Year Ended December 31, 1966

Account No.		Available	Expended	Balance
	Selectmen:			
101	Salaries	$ 5,000.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 0.00
102	Clerk Wages	600.00	600.00	0.00
103	Expenses	2,210.00	1,927.77	282.23
104	Out of State Travel	300.00	0.00	300.00
	Accountant:			
111	Salary	7,162.00	7,162.00	0.00
112	Clerk Wages	1,500.00	1,499.94	.06
113	Expenses	570.00	558.91	11.09
114	Capital Outlay	150.00	134.30	15.70
	Treasurer:			
121	Salary	6,319.00	6,319.00	0.00
122	Clerk Wages	7,567.00	7,546.64	20.36
123	Expenses	1,746.00	1,719.31	26.69
124	Perfecting Tax Titles	1,970.69	86.04	1,884.65
125	Other Finance Expenses	200.00	86.00	114.00
126	Out of State Travel	100.00	84.69	15.31
127	Capital Outlay	600.00	590.85	9.15
	Collector of Taxes:			
131	Salary	7,583.00	7,583.00	0.00
132	Clerk Wages	9,484.35	9,484.35	0.00
133	Expenses	3,150.00	3,149.82	.18
134	Tax Sale Expense	450.00	307.50	142.50
	Assessors:			
141	Salary (Principal)	7,372.00	7,372.00	0.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00
143	Clerk Wages	11,102.00	11,041.53	60.47
144	Expenses	4,000.00	3,296.78	703.22
145	Capital Outlay	50.00	41.70	8.30
	Town Clerk:			
151	Salary	6,846.00	6,846.00	0.00
152	Clerk Wages	3,977.41	3,977.41	0.00
153	Expenses	1,756.00	1,687.93	68.07
154	Capital Outlay	150.00	146.40	3.60
155	Out of State Travel	200.00	141.23	58.77
	Board of Registrars:			
161	Salaries	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
162	Clerk Wages	3,977.00	3,896.12	80.88
163	Expenses	3,750.00	3,557.59	192.41
164	Capital Outlay	150.00	147.00	3.00
	Election Department:			
166	Salaries	6,000.00	5,141.00	859.00
167	Expenses	1,925.00	1,468.16	456.84
168	Capital Outlay	400.00	365.00	35.00
	Town Hall:			

171	Salary	5,423.00	5,423.00	0.00
172	Vacation and Sick Replacement	400.00	400.00	0.00
173	Expenses	3,625.00	3,534.76	90.24
	Legal Department:			
176	Expenses	5,000.00	4,939.60	60.40
177	Small Claims	1,000.00	15.64	984.36
	Finance Committee:			
181	Expenses	900.00	770.50	129.50
182	Clerk Wages	600.00	117.86	482.14
	Planning Board:			
186	Clerk Wages	680.00	659.25	20.75
187	Expenses	1,690.00	1,101.95	588.05
188	Engineering Service	6,950.00	6,942.50	7.50
	Board of Appeals:			
191	Expenses	1,100.00	1,087.44	12.56
192	Clerk Wages	350.00	225.00	125.00
	Personnel Board:			
196	Expenses	130.00	129.98	.02
197	Capital Outlay	25.00	0.00	25.00
	Police Department:			
201	Salaries	222,592.00	209,537.67	13,054.33
202	Clerk Wages	1,050.00	912.15	137.85
203	Expenses	21,518.00	20,787.95	730.05
204	Ambulance Expenses	1,425.00	1,422.10	2.90
205	Capital Outlay	518.00	473.29	44.71
206	Matron Services	700.00	651.28	48.72
	Fire Department:			
211	Salaries	282,221.00	280,613.54	1,607.46
212	Clerk Wages	2,500.00	2,214.88	285.12
213	Expenses	21,625.00	21,263.35	361.65
214	Forest Fire Patrol	200.00	0.00	200.00
	Civil Defense:			
221	Salary	1,300.00	1,300.00	0.00
222	Clerk Wages	850.00	849.55	.45
223	Expenses	3,950.00	3,945.45	4.55
	Building Department:			
231	Salaries	16,998.00	15,642.58	1,355.42
232	Clerk Wages	4,244.20	4,213.43	30.77
233	Expenses	3,325.00	2,958.69	366.31
234	Demolition	300.00	292.50	7.50
235	Out of State Travel	100.00	97.58	2.42
236	Capital Outlay	60.00	42.50	17.50
	Wire Inspector:			
241	Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00	0.00
242	Assistant's Salary	800.00	800.00	0.00
243	Expenses	500.00	500.00	0.00
	Sealer of Weights and Measures:			
251	Salary	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
252	Expenses	600.00	600.00	0.00
	Dog Officer:			

261	Salary	1,600.00	1,133.31	466.69
262	Expenses	1,551.00	1,489.14	61.86
263	Use of Kennels	100.00	69.41	30.59
301	Cattle Inspector — Salary	250.00	177.05	72.95
	Board of Health:			
311	Salaries	3,100.00	3,100.00	0.00
312	Clerk Wages	600.00	600.00	0.00
313	Expenses	5,762.00	5,534.28	227.72
314	Dump	1,000.00	80.00	920.00
315	Garbage Contract	28,500.00	17,812.50	10,687.50
316	Hospitalization	10,000.00	2,996.00	7,004.00
318	Engineering Services	200.00	0.00	200.00
	Public Health Nurse:			
321	Salary	6,053.85	5,910.54	143.31
322	Expenses	1,200.00	902.30	297.70
323	Vacation Replacement	432.00	375.40	56.60
	Milk Inspector:			
331	Salary	1,950.00	1,950.00	0.00
332	Expenses	700.00	700.00	0.00
	Public Works:			
401	Salaries	249,486.00	242,897.89	6,588.11
402	Overtime	16,900.00	16,889.15	10.85
404	Expenses	32,500.00	26,098.34	6,401.66
	Highway Department:			
411	Expenses	17,300.00	12,772.69	4,527.31
412	Equipment Rental	4,500.00	2,590.00	1,910.00
413	Road Machinery	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00
414	Tar and Oil	30,000.00	16,059.02	13,940.98
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,500.00	4,500.00	0.00
416	Chapter 90 Construction	11,900.00	0.00	11,900.00
417	Snow and Sand	89,700.00	89,666.18	33.82
418	Street Lighting	26,760.00	25,563.02	1,196.98
419	Bituminous Concrete	20,000.00	19,900.00	100.00
420	Surveying and Engineering	3,000.00	2,285.39	714.61
	Water Department:			
451	Expenses	46,750.00	41,188.55	5,561.45
452	Chemicals and Lab. Supplies	27,500.00	27,361.22	138.78
	Park and Tree Department:			
461	Tree Department Expenses	3,000.00	2,485.49	514.51
462	Poison Ivy Control	500.00	500.00	0.00
463	Moth Control	1,000.00	977.36	22.64
464	Parks and Playgrounds	2,500.00	1,743.03	756.97
465	Dutch Elm Disease Control	1,000.00	793.60	206.40
	Sewerage Department:			
471	Expenses	4,138.00	3,857.77	280.23
	Welfare Department:			
501	Salaries	12,980.00	12,980.00	0.00

502	Administration	500.00	308.17	191.83
503	Outside Cities	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
511	Welfare Benefits	209,700.00	207,096.83	2,603.17
	Veterans' Services:			
571	Salary	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00
572	Expenses	450.00	450.00	0.00
573	Clerk Wages	850.00	839.17	10.83
575	Benefit Payments	75,000.00	69,778.13	5,221.87
	School Department:			
601	Salaries and Wages	2,176,875.22	2,143,511.70	33,363.52
602	Expenses	527,739.00	527,728.84	10.16
603	Out of State Travel	200.00	186.54	13.46
604	Vocational Education	8,000.00	7,934.21	65.79
651	Regional Vocational School	10,397.96	10,397.96	0.00
	Maturing Debt:			
701	Standpipe Construction	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00
702	Water Works	30,000.00	30,000.00	0.00
703	Water Mains (1954)	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00
705	Water Mains (1956)	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
706	Ditson School	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
707	Parker School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00	105,000.00	0.00
709	Nuttings Lake School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
711	Junior High Addition	80,000.00	80,000.00	0.00
712	Dutile School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
713	J. F. Kennedy School	60,000.00	60,000.00	0.00
714	Sewer and Building	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
715	Sewer	60,000.00	60,000.00	0.00
716	Fire Station	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
	Interest Payments:			
751	Bond Interest	174,344.00	174,343.75	.25
752	Short Term Interest	35,000.00	29,313.83	5,686.17
	Recreation Commission:			
801	Salaries	10,270.00	10,220.00	50.00
802	Expenses	3,570.00	3,540.82	29.18
803	Golden Age	500.00	447.20	52.80
	Cemetery:			
811	Salaries	14,191.14	14,191.14	0.00
812	Expenses	1,950.00	1,946.06	3.94
	Unclassified:			
851	Printing Town Report	3,131.40	1,313.40	0.00
852	Memorial Day	1,100.00	1,090.00	10.00
853	Building Insurance	12,000.00	9,903.00	2,097.00
854	Group Insurance	41,500.00	41,286.07	213.93
855	Workmen's Comp.	12,005.15	6,807.48	5,197.67
856	V. F. W. (Eggo Post)	200.00	200.00	0.00
857	D. A. V.	200.00	200.00	0.00
858	V. F. W. (Solomon Post)	200.00	0.00	200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk	275.00	275.00	0.00

890	Reserve Fund	32,000.00	31,922.61	77.39

The Cemetery Commissioners and Board of Selectmen authorized the following transfers from the Cemetery Perpetual Care Income Fund:

Cemetery— Salaries and Wages	$1,191.14
Cemetery — Expenses	350.00
TOTAL	$1,541.14

The following transfers from the Reserve Fund were made by the Finance Committee:

Memorial Day	$ 250.00
Surveying and Engineering — Manning Road	900.00
Selectmen Expenses	850.00
Public Works — Training Program	150.00
Chemicals and Lab Supplies	5,000.00
Emergency Dog Officer Expenses	250.00
Health Nurse Salary	752.85
Public Works — Overtime	3,000.00
Board of Appeals Expenses	100.00
Police and Matron's Services	100.00
Dog Officer Expense	700.00
Town Hall Expense	375.00
Collector of Taxes — Clerk Wages	181.35
Town Clerk — Clerk Wages	.41
Ambulance Expenses	125.00
Building Department — Demolition	100.00
Wire Inspector Expense	100.00
Planning Board — Engineer Services	150.00
Water Department — Filter Repairs	6,000.00
Snow and Sand	9,700.00
Sewer Department Expense	638.00
Water Extensions	2,500.00
TOTAL	$31,922.61

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES

Year Ended December 31, 1966

Budget Account No.					
	Selectmen:				
101	Salaries		$ 5,000.00		
102	Clerk Wages		600.00		
103	Expenses:				
	Dues	$ 115.00			
	Compiling Town Report	70.00			
	Office Supplies	107.45			
	Printing and Advertising	493.04			
	Check Tellers Services	309.00			
	Custodial Services at Town Meetings	247.58			
	Reporting Town Meetings	78.00			
	Appraisal of Land	250.00			
	Expenses to Meetings	226.70			
	Constable's Services	31.00	1,927.77	$	7,527.77
	Town Accountant:				
111	Salary		$ 7,162.00		
112	Clerk Wages		1,499.94		
113	Expenses:				
	Office Supplies	$ 197.16			
	Dues	40.00			
	Telephone at Town Hall	116.97			
	Expenses to Meetings	129.53			
	Service Contract on Calculators	75.25	558.91		
114	Capital Outlay—New Desk		134.30		9,355.15
	Treasurer:				
121	Salary		$ 6,319.00		
122	Clerk Wages		7,546.64		
123	Expenses:				
	Office Supplies	$ 951.18			
	Expenses to Meetings	129.42			
	Use of Auto	73.20			
	Telephone	169.21			
	Surety Bond	271.00			
	Office Chairs	116.30			
	Dues	9.00	1,719.31		
124	Perfecting Tax Titles:				
	Recording Fees	$ 7.00			
	Office Supplies	17.64			
	Use of Auto	61.40	86.04		

125	Other Finance Expenses:			
	Certifying Notes		86.00	
126	Out of State Travel		84.69	
127	Capital Outlay:			
	Typewriter	$ 209.25		
	Adding Machine	262.50		
	Check File	119.10	590.85	16,432.53
	Collector of Taxes:			
131	Salary		$ 7,583.00	
132	Clerk Wages		9,484.35	
133	Expenses:			
	Surety Bond	$ 508.30		
	Office Expense	2,129.50		
	Telephone	223.22		
	Dues	7.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	113.80		
	Book Binding	118.00		
	Deputy Collector's Fee	50.00	3,149.82	
134	Tax Sale Expense:			
	Advertising	$ 104.00		
	Recording	192.00		
	Notorial Services	11.50	307.50	20,524.67
	Assessors:			
141	Salary (Principal)		$ 7,372.00	
142	Salaries (Assistants)		3,000.00	
143	Clerk Wages		11,041.53	
144	Expenses:			
	Photostatic Copies of Deeds	$ 440.50		
	Prints of Plans	589.00		
	Use of Autos	1,069.67		
	Telephone	232.35		
	Expenses to Meetings	124.55		
	Water Cooler and Water	51.10		
	Book Binding	91.00		
	Dues	42.00		
	Office Expense	656.61	3,296.78	
	1965 Appropriation Revision of Assessors Plates		600.00	
145	Capital Outlay: Addressograph Ribbon and Repairs		41.70	25,352.01
	Town Clerk:			
151	Salary		$ 6,846.00	
152	Clerk Wages		3,977.41	

153	Expenses:			
	Office Expense	$ 915.04		
	Printing and Advertising	319.05		
	Telephone	304.35		
	Expenses to Meetings	101.99		
	Dues	37.50		
	Surety Bond	10.00	1,687.93	
154	Capital Outlay—Desk		146.40	
155	Out of State Travel		141.23	12,798.97
	Board of Registrars:			
161	Salaries		$ 1,000.00	
162	Clerk Wages		3,896.12	
163	Expenses			
	Listing Services	$ 1,782.39		
	Printing and Advertising	1,185.60		
	Supplies	589.60	3,557.59	
164	Capital Outlay—Desk		147.00	8,600.71
	Election Department:			
166	Salaries		$ 5,141.00	
167	Expenses:			
	Custodians Services	$ 653.87		
	Printing and Advertising	666.10		
	Supplies	78.75		
	Food	69.44	1,468.16	
168	Capital Outlay—New Booths		365.00	6,974.16
	Town Hall:			
171	Salary		$ 5,423.00	
172	Vacation and Sick Replacement		400.00	
173	Expenses:			
	Electric	$ 1,176.57		
	Fuel	1,097.24		
	Insurance	257.87		
	Janitor Supplies	195.68		
	Repairs	767.28		
	Washing Windows	30.00		
	Water	10.12	3,534.76	
	Hand Rail		150.00	9,507.76
176	Legal Department Expenses		$ 4,939.60	
177	Small Claims		15.64	4,955.24
	Finance Committee:			

181	Expenses:			
	Printing	$ 719.40		
	Dues	35.00		
	Postage	6.10		
	Expenses to Meetings	10.00	770.50	
182	Clerk Wages		117.86	888.36
	Planning Board:			
186	Clerk Wages		$ 659.25	
187	Expenses:			
	Surveying and Engineering	$ 125.00		
	Dues	40.00		
	Printing and Advertising	232.35		
	Concrete Bounds	350.00		
	Soil Survey	82.00		
	Recording Fees	7.60		
	Office Expense	265.00	1,101.95	
188	Engineering Service		6,942.50	
	Installation of Streets—Funds Provided by Forfeiture of Bond by Builder		3,585.30	
	Greater Lowell Planning District Assessment		2,680.05	14,969.05
	Board of Appeals:			
191	Expenses:			
	Dues	$ 15.00		
	Office Expense	484.44		
	Advertising	588.00	$ 1,087.44	
192	Clerk Wages		225.00	1,312.44
196	Personnel Board—Expenses:			
	Dues		$ 35.00	
	Expenses to Meetings		17.80	
	Office Expense		77.18	129.98
	Police Department:			
201	Salaries:			
	Chief	$ 9,133.30		
	Patrolmen	194,277.76		
	Custodian	6,126.61	$ 209,537.67	
202	Clerk Wages		912.15	
203	Expenses:			
	Vehicle Expenses	$ 3,651.09		
	Equipment for Men	2,372.85		

	Electricity	1,179.62		
	Fuel	679.41		
	Telephone	1,045.81		
	Repairs	584.11		
	Office Supplies	727.49		
	Photo Supplies	336.37		
	Laundry	44.43		
	Radio Service	636.00		
	Rubbish Removal	24.00		
	Custodian's Supplies	110.66		
	Traffic Lines	379.60		
	Gasoline and Oil	5,497.27		
	Insurance	1,650.28		
	Signs	503.13		
	Training Program	300.00		
	Boat Expense	179.13		
	Radar Repairs	212.01		
	Equipment	402.83		
	Expenses to Meetings	85.00		
	Water	71.71		
	Miscellaneous	115.15	20,787.95	
204	Ambulance Expense:			
	Insurance	$ 632.99		
	Repairs	359.40		
	Laundry	120.70		
	Supplies	88.26		
	Oxygen	118.75		
	Radio Repairs	102.00	1,422.10	
205	Capital Outlay:			
	Roof Warning Lights and Lifter Kits	$ 229.50		
	File	197.15		
	Chair	46.64	473.29	
206	Matron's Services		651.28	
	New Police Officers			
	Salaries	$ 8,762.64		
	Uniforms and Equipment	705.56	9,468.20	
	Three Station Wagons		6,853.58	
	Heating System Repairs		1,200.00	
	Three Portable Radios		1,230.75	252,536.97
	Fire Department:			
211	Salaries:			
	Chief	$ 9,132.19		
	Men	271,481.35	280,613.54	
212	Clerk Wages		2,214.88	

213	Expenses:			
	Vehicle Expense	$ 4,870.98		
	Equipment for Men	852.88		
	Insurance	818.55		
	Gasoline and Oil	1,535.70		
	Electricity	1,536.07		
	Telephone	1,078.42		
	Hose	1,127.67		
	Radio Repairs	519.82		
	Water	169.95		
	Chemicals	1,225.37		
	Alarm Boxes	2,158.63		
	Laundry	2.60		
	Medical Care	134.00		
	Fuel	2,514.50		
	Supplies	451.66		
	Food	185.97		
	Equipment and Repairs	1,495.44		
	Dues and Subscriptions	58.00		
	Office Expense	510.09		
	Miscellaneous	17.05	21,263.35	
	Additional Men:			
	Salaries	$ 8,540.47		
	Uniforms and Equipment	291.00	8,831.47	
	Fire Alarm Boxes		2,271.36	
	Pick Up Truck		2,180.00	
	New Fire Engine		30,981.00	
	New Fire Station:			
	Contractor	$ 68,197.95		
	Painting	830.00		
	Steel	131.54		
	Replacing Broken Glass	335.47		
	Plumbing	63.00	69,557.96	417,913.56
	Civil Defense:			
221	Salary		$ 1,300.00	
222	Clerk Wages		849.55	
223	Expenses:			
	Telephone	$ 792.68		
	Use of Auto	1,065.60		
	Office Expense	350.70		
	Dues	7.50		
	Equipment and Repairs	1,646.27		
	Miscellaneous	82.70	3,945.45	6,095.00
	Building Department:			
231	Salaries:			
	Building Inspector		$ 7,362.00	
	Plumbing Inspector		6,953.00	

	Assistant Building Inspector		1,327.58	
			$ 15,642.58	
232	Clerk Wages		4,213.43	
233	Expenses:			
	Use of Auto	$ 2,128.01		
	Office Expense	525.35		
	Telephone	177.33		
	Dues	48.00		
	Tax Maps	80.00	2,958.69	
234	Demolition		292.50	
235	Out of State Travel		97.58	
236	Capital Outlay—Office Chair		42.50	23,247.28
	Wire Inspector:			
241	Salary		$ 1,800.00	
242	Assistant's Salary		800.00	
243	Expenses:			
	Use of Auto	$ 421.48		
	Supplies	78.52	500.00	3,100.00
	Sealer of Weights and Measures:			
251	Salary		1,000.00	
252	Expenses:			
	Telephone	$ 72.00		
	Use of Auto	414.30		
	Supplies	113.70	600.00	1,600.00
	Dog Officer:			
261	Salary		$ 1,133.31	
262	Expenses:			
	Use of Auto	$ 386.90		
	Telephone	59.95		
	Supplies	17.29		
	Emergency Dog Officer's Services	1,025.00	1,489.14	
	Special Account—Emergency Dog Officer's Services		250.00	
263	Use of Kennels		69.41	2,941.86
301	Cattle Inspector—Salary			177.05
	Board of Health:			
311	Salaries		$ 3,100.00	
312	Clerk Wages		600.00	
313	Expenses:			
	Mosquito Spraying	$ 3,028.50		
	Use of Auto	772.00		

	Disposing of Animals	176.00		
	Telephone	573.44		
	Medicine and Drugs	149.78		
	Office Expense	572.82		
	Signs	95.00		
	Desk	56.70		
	Miscellaneous	110.04	5,534.28	
314	Dump		80.00	
	Garbage Contract—1965 ....$	9,100.00		
315	Garbage Contract—1966	17,812.50	26,912.50	
316	Hospitalizations		2,996.00	
	Director—Salary		2,420.00	
	Junior Clerk-Typist—Salary		393.06	
	Nuttings Lake Algae Control:			
	1965 Appropriation .....$	50.00		
	1966 Appropriation	1,050.00	1,100.00	
	State Mental Health Program Assessment		2,300.00	
	Public Health Nurse:			
321	Salary .....$	5,910.54		
322	Expenses—Use of Auto	902.30		
323	Vacation Replacement	375.40	7,188.24	
	Milk Inspector:			
331	Salary .....$	1,950.00		
332	Expenses—Use of Laboratory	700.00	2,650.00	55,274.08
	Public Works Department:			
401	Salaries:			
	Administrator .....$	7,153.56		
	Highway Superintendent	6,944.82		
	Highway Foreman	7,312.59		
	Public Works Clerk	6,180.20		
	Laborers—Highway	72,647.70		
	Tree Warden	6,518.64		
	Laborers—Snow & Sanding	11,846.12	118,603.63	
	Water Department:			
	Superintendent .....$	7,188.43		
	Foreman	6,920.53		
	Chemist	6,217.14		
	Clerks	11,944.62		
	Water Collector	1,600.00		
	Laborers, etc.	70,538.46	104,409.18	

	Park Department	$ 3,880.05	
	Moth Department	388.95	
	Dutch Elm Disease Control	9,617.70	
	Sewer Department	5,912.22	
	Poison Ivy Control	86.16	19,885.08
	TOTAL		$ 242,897.89
402	Overtime		16,889.15
404	Expenses:		
	Gasoline and Oil	$ 5,082.85	
	Equipment and Repairs	2,855.68	
	Insurance	5,049.40	
	Maintenance of Buildings	3,847.31	
	Fuel	3,355.27	
	Office Expense	3,036.58	
	Telephone	1,856.48	
	New Office Equipment	558.71	
	Engineer's Expense	267.60	
	Miscellaneous	188.46	26,098.34
411	Highway Department Expenses:		
	Stone and Gravel	$ 7,294.05	
	Equipment and Repairs	2,395.07	
	Street Signs	401.64	
	Drainage	2,248.32	
	Traffic Lines	191.60	
	Loam	120.00	
	Miscellaneous	122.01	12,772.69
412	Equipment Rental		2,590.00
413	Road Machinery		5.000.00
414	Tar and Oil		16,059.02
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance		4,500.00
	Chapter 90 Construction:		
	1961 Appropriation	$ 1,017.20	
	1965 Appropriation	4,737.09	5,754.29
417	Snow and Sand:		
	Plowing	$ 64.571.09	
	Salt	15,267.38	
	Sand	7,986.62	
	Equipment and Repairs	1,832.09	
	Advertising	9.00	89,666.18
418	Street Lighting		25,563.02
419	Bituminous Concrete		19,900.00
420	Surveying and Engineering		2,285.39
	Surveying and Engineering—Manning Road		900.00
	Water Department:		
451	Expenses:		

	Light and Power .....$	19,330.96	
	Pipes and Fittings	9,666.01	
	Meters and Fittings	8,367.91	
	Hardware and Tools	1,298.31	
	Use of Auto	1,033.20	
	Hydrants	1,413.16	
	Dues	24.00	
	Miscellaneous	55.00	41,188.55
452	Chemical and Lab Supplies		27,361.22
	Water Extensions:		
	Engineering Services .....$	14,227.71	
	Contractor	71,754.64	
	Inspection Service	2,075.07	
	Advertising	23.00	88,080.42
	Charged to 1965 Appropriation .....$	38,888.97	
	Charged to 1966 Appropriation	49,191.45	
		88,080.42	
	Treble Cove Road Water Extension:		
	Engineering Services .....$	2,737.41	
	Inspection Service	148.96	
	Contractor	14,767.42	17,653.79
	Filter Repairs		49.52
461	Tree Department Expenses:		
	Stump Removal .....$	345.00	
	Equipment and Repairs ..	1,230.91	
	Use of Auto	137.00	
	Dues	12.50	
	Chemicals	760.08	2,485.49
462	Poison Ivy Control		500.00
463	Moth Control		977.36
464	Parks and Playgrounds:		
	Gravel, Loam, etc. .....$	423.75	
	Chemicals	179.00	
	Equipment and Repairs ..	986.03	
	Line Markers	105.85	
	Use of Auto	42.40	
	Miscellaneous	6.00	1,743.03
465	Dutch Elm Disease Control		793.60
471	Sewerage Department Expenses:		
	Light and Power .....$	845.03	
	Equipment and Repairs ..	1,479.57	

Chemicals	184.20		
Subscriptions and Supplies	36.47		
Pumping Sludge	505.00		
Drain Work	400.00		
Pump	375.00		
Use of Auto	32.50	3,857.77	
Wire Broom		321.00	
Floor Jack		120.45	
Wheel Balancer		77.00	
Dump Truck		4,779.74	
Cab and Chassis		3,625.01	
Two Pick Up Trucks		2,796.80	
Utility Truck		1,715.00	
Nashua Road Drainage		503.13	
Sidewalk—Boston Road		692.50	
Mist Sprayer		4,250.00	
Bridge Street Repairs		2,512.95	
Sidewalk—Andover Road to Carline Drive		594.20	
Two Sander Bodies		3,815.74	
Training Program		75.00	
Sewer Construction:			
Engineering Services	$ 92,521.64		
Contractors	1,180,209.20		
Repayment of Advance from Federal Government	79,423.69		
Legal Services	1,525.10		
Advertising	336.78	1,354,016.41	2,035,461.65

Welfare Department:
Salaries:

	Town Appropriation No. 501	Federal Grants	Total
Board	$ 900.00		$ 900.00
Director	2,000.00	$ 7,480.00	9,480.00
Social Workers	4,080.00	8,925.53	13,005.33
Clerks	6,000.00	2,951.22	8,951.22
TOTAL	$ 12,980.00	$ 19,356.55	$ 32,336.55

502 Administration:

Telephone	$ 299.17	
Office Expense	9.00	308.17

511 Welfare Benefits:

General Relief	$ 14,119.65
Disability Assistance	29,876.23

	Old Age Assistance	28,339.82		
	Aid to Families with Dependent Children	57,305.01		
	Medical Assistance to the Aged	50,140.46		
	Medical Assistance	27,315.66	207,096.83	
	Aid to Families with Dependent Children — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants .....$	61,279.17		
	Use of Auto	18.60		
	Office Expenses	577.15	61,874.92	
	Old Age Assistance — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants .....$	58,827.76		
	Use of Auto	192.40		
	Office Expenses	202.44		
	Dues	20.00		
	Insurance	29.00	59,271.60	
	Medical Assistance to the Aged — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants .....$	46,594.77		
	Use of Auto	180.25		
	Office Expenses	82.22	46,857.24	
	Medical Assistance — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants		18,853.42	
	Disability Assistance — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants .....$	17,901.17		
	Office Expenses	82.22	46,857.24	
	Use of Auto	359.45	19,442.87	
	Bowers Fund Disbursements		410.81	446,452.41
	Department of Veterans' Services:			
571	Salary		$ 1,500.00	
572	Expenses:			
	Dues .....$	20.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	101.85		
	Office Expense	37.10		
	Photo Copier	150.00		
	Telephone	141.05	450.00	
573	Clerk Wages		839.17	
575	Benefit Payments:			
	Cash Grants .....$	50,395.00		

	Medical Payments	8,824.43		
	Dental Payments	708.00		
	Board and Care	8,370.99		
	Food	682.61		
	Insurance Payments	493.45		
	Moving Recipients	161.55		
	Fuel and Electric	142.10	69,778.13	72,567.30
	School Department:			
601	Salaries:			
	Superintendent	$ 15,207.64		
	Assistant Superintendent	11,350.56		
	Clerks	41,569.27		
	Truant Officer	5,149.77		
	Teachers - High School	524,618.38		
	Teachers - Elementary	1,282,096.10		
	Supervisors	16,661.52		
	Nurses	20,575.89		
	Maintenance Man	7,649.12		
	Custodians - High School	44,695.51		
	Custodians - Elementary	127,162.52		
	Traffic Officers	7,211.32		
	Physicians	4,257.00		
	Matrons	6,912.44		
	Audio Visual	4,499.56		
	School Committee Clerk	515.00		
	Cafeteria Manager	3,939.14		
	Data Processing Director	6,346.12		
	Psychologist	2,553.84		
	Summer School Director	600.00		
	Summer School Teachers	7,416.00		
	Director of Libraries	2,250.00		
	Library Clerk	275.00	2,143,511.70	
602	Expenses:			
	Transportation	$ 178,788.22		
	Fuel and Light	97,159.96		
	Text Books	52,224.94		
	Supplies	56,801.14		
	High School Athletics	16,205.82		
	Junior High School Athletics	1,493.60		
	Industrial Arts	9,599.72		
	Household Arts	1,113.35		
	Telephone	5,824.83		
	School Committee Expenses	515.33		
	Expenses to Meetings	367.95		
	Water	1,571.55		
	Office Expense	432.77		
	Library Expenses	2,628.09		

	Nurses Supplies	1,274.37	
	Dues	350.00	
	School Census	380.25	
	Insurance	3,495.75	
	Maintenance of Buildings	66,458.60	
	Furniture	24,042.77	
	Graduation Expenses	370.08	
	Transporting Food	800.00	
	Handwriting Supervision	3,232.00	
	Speech Therapy	936.70	
	Engineering Services	300.00	
	Baseball Diamond	400.00	
	Care of Grounds	838.00	
	Miscellaneous	123.05	527,728.84
603	Out of State Travel		186.54
604	Vocational Education:		
	Transportation	$ 1,264.20	
	Tuition	6,670.01	7,934.21
651	Regional Vocational School Assessment		10,397.96
	Adult Education		4,996.00
	School Lunch Program:		
	Salaries	$ 91,326.67	
	Food, etc.	160,055.77	251,382.44
	Athletics - Revolving Fund		8,871.39
	School Band Fund		185.00
	Howe Fund		4,045.60
	Spaulding Fund		756.00
	Stearns Fund		248.88
	Faulkner Fund		219.40
	Kent Fund		174.90
	High School Fire Damage..		20,576.16
	Unpaid Bills		10,481.48
	Federal Grant — Public Law 874		35,387.63
	Federal Grant — Public Law 88-210		3,883.75
	Federal Grant — Public Law 89-10		16,818.05
	School Land Acquisition Expenses		207.25
	School Land — New Junior High School		40,000.00
	River Pines School:		
	Architects' Fees, etc. — Art. 60		1,606.89
	Land Taking Expenses		2,200.00
	Construction	$ 18,849.07	

	Equipment	2,022.91	20,871.98	
	East Billerica School:			
	Contractor	$ 136,727.30		
	Clerk of the Works	8,369.48		
	Equipment	55,344.35		
	Miscellaneous	404.50		
	Architect	17,952.92	218,798.55	
	River Pines School — Mass. Electric Co. Grant:			
	Paving		1,647.00	3,333,117.60
	Bennett Public Library Association:			
	Salaries		$ 12,963.35	
	Books		4,779.63	
	Binding		311.10	
	Subscriptions		193.81	
	Fuel		107.05	
	Supplies		67.30	
	Electricity		269.51	
	Miscellaneous		5.00	
			$ 18,696.75	
	Faulkner Fund Income to Library		45.50	18,742.25
	Maturing Debt and Interest:			
701	Standpipe Construction	$ 4,000.00		
702	Water Works	30,000.00		
703	Water Mains (1954)	10,000.00		
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00		
705	Water Mains (1956)	20,000.00		
706	Ditson School	20,000.00		
707	Parker School	35,000.00		
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00		
709	Nuttings Lake School	35,000.00		
711	Junior High Addition	80,000.00		
712	Dutile School	35,000.00		
713	J. F. Kennedy School	60,000.00		
714	Sewer and Building	20,000.00		
715	Sewer	60,000.00		
716	Fire Station	20,000.00	549,000.00	
	Chapter 90 Loan		30,000.00	
	Tax Anticipation Loan		1,800,000.00	
751	Bond Interest	$ 174,343.75		
752	Short Term Interest	29,313.83	203,657.58	2,582,657.58
	Recreation Commission:			
801	Salaries		$ 10,220.00	

802	Expenses:			
	Office Expense	$ 158.98		
	Dues	240.00		
	Officiating at Games	396.00		
	Equipment	2,147.95		
	Telephone	70.89		
	Use of Auto	352.00		
	Custodian Service	35.00		
	Ice Rental	140.00	3,540.82	
803	Golden Age — Bus Rental		447.20	
	Kohlrausch Fund		35.00	14,243.02
	Cemetery Department:			
811	Salaries		$ 14,191.14	
812	Expenses:			
	Equipment and Repairs ..	$ 783.13		
	Insurance	205.00		
	Truck Expense	248.13		
	Gasoline and Oil	146.95		
	Fuel	134.20		
	Electric	18.12		
	Telephone	67.78		
	Loam, Shrubs, etc.	97.00		
	Office Expense	125.75		
	Staking Lines	120.00	1,946.06	
	Cemetery Expansion:			
	1965 Appropriation	$ 67.25		
	1966 Appropriation	2,497.75	2,565.00	
	Gray Fund		15.00	18,717.20
851	Printing Town Report			3,131.40
852	Memorial Day			1,090.00
853	Building Insurance			9,903.00
854	Group Insurance			41,286.07
855	Workmen's Compensation ..			6,807.48
856	V. F. W. (Eggo Post)			200.00
857	D. A. V.			200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk			275.00
	Industrial Commission:			
	Clerk Wages		$ 80.63	
	Office Expense		159.00	
	Advertising		133.70	
	Brochure		280.00	
	Engineering Services		45.00	698.33
	Forest Committee Expenses..			201.52
	Shade Trees —			
	1965 Appropriation		21.50	

Shade Trees —		
1966 Appropriation	500.00	521.50
Band Concerts		966.00
Federal Advance — Water		
Survey		49,375.69
Tax Maps		176.39
Conservation Committee Expenses:		
1963 Appropriation	$ 61.29	
1966 Appropriation	59.86	121.15
Unpaid Bills — 1966		215.63
M.B.T.A. Assessment		158.30
Babe Ruth League		500.00
Billerica Little League		500.00
Investments in Certificates		
of Deposit		1,300,000.00
County Tax		111,216.49
County Hospital Assessment..		1,731.96
Retirement Fund Assessment		73,308.23
Employee Deductions:		
Group Insurance	$ 44,968.24	
Retirement Deductions ..	58,366.21	
Federal Withholding Tax	393,000.44	
State Withholding Tax ..	51,280.29	
Savings Bonds	11,025.00	558,640.18
Dog Licenses Collected for		
County		4,855.75
Sale of Dogs — Proceeds to		
County		60.00
Court Judgments Paid:		
Roy C. Maillet	$ 250.00	
Eva Biagiotti		
(School Land)	12,105.55	
James Farmer		
(School Land)	13,659.62	
Children's Hospital		
Medical Center	783.75	26,798.92
Stabilization Fund Reinvested		150,000.00
State Parks — Assessment		15,042.47
Auditing Municipal Accounts		
— Assessment		6,999.77
Motor Vehicle Excise		
Assessment		1,814.40
Cemetery — Perpetual Care		
Funds Invested		3,200.00
Refunds:		
Taxes	$ 28,609.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise	14,565.39	
Water Rates	106.71	

Water Liens		183.96	
Deposits — Nashua Road Drainage		1,010.00	
Chapter 40 Gravel		86.00	
Tax Fees and Interest		22.25	
Wiring Permits		5.00	
Water Installations		371.21	
Cemetery—Sale of Lots		85.00	
General Departments:			
Welfare	$ 17,151.82		
All Other	2,751.02	19,902.84	64,947.36
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS			$11,859,116.60

BALANCE SHEET — GENERAL FUND

Year Ending December 31, 1966

ASSETS

Cash			$1,044,165.10
Taxes Receivable per Exhibit A:			
Poll		$ 824.00	
Personal Property		90,322.54	
Real Estate		753,270.95	844,417.49
Uncollected Excise per Exhibit A:			
Motor Vehicle		$ 142,688.53	
Farm Animal		110.88	142,799.41
Street Betterment Assessments:			
Unapportioned Assessments		$ 8,011.23	
Added to Tax Bills — 1964		12.50	
Added to Tax Bills — 1965		110.33	
Added to Tax Bills — 1966		654.36	
Committed Interest — 1964		9.50	
Committed Interest — 1965		64.57	
Committed Interest — 1966		336.65	9,199.14
Claims Against Estates of Deceased Persons			1,957.30
Tax Title Accounts		$ 173,536.34	
Tax Possessions		36,289.42	209,825.76
Sewer Accounts Receivable			5,229.68
Water Rates Accounts Receivable		$ 105,940.59	
Water Repairs Accounts Receivable		4,036.52	
Water Liens Added to Taxes:			
1959	$ 83.76		
1963	22.53		
1964	149.43		
1965	1,229.04		
1966	1,250.01	2,734.77	112,711.88
Departmental Accounts Receivable			14,741.44
State and County Aid for Highways — Accounts Receivable			5,616.86

DEFICITIS

Overlay — 1965		$ 1,055.42	
County Tax — 1966		21,480.97	
State Parks — 1966		2,687.98	
Retirement Fund Assessment		13,308.23	38,532.60
TOTAL			$2,429,196.66

LIABILITIES, RESERVES and SURPLUS

Deposit on Plans for Betterment Streets	$ 120.00	
Water Deposits	150.00	
Tailings	817.55	
Deposit on Bond — Jr. High School Bldg.	100.00	
Deposit on Plans — Public Works Dept.	30.00	
Planning Board — Performance Bonds	37,165.00	
Dog Licenses — Collected for County	103.75	
Sale of Dogs — Collected for County	30.00	
Group Insurance — Employee Deductions	245.30	
Savings Bonds Deductions	1,489.45	
Overpayment Reserved	197.51	$ 40,448.56
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:		
1958	$ 2,183.68	
1961	7,366.53	
1962	8,843.50	
1963	6,996.99	
1964	1,874.15	
1966	3,557.88	30,822.73
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Street Assessments	$ 9,199.14	
Motor Vehicle	142,688.53	
Farm Animal	110.88	
Estates of Deceased Persons	1,957.30	
Tax Titles and Possessions	209,825.76	
Sewerage System	5,229.68	
Departmental	14,741.44	
State and County Highway Aid	5,616.86	
Water	112,711.88	502,081.47
Special Funds per Exhibit B		339,622.79
Unexpended Appropriation Balances - per Exhibit C		778,334.85
Surplus Revenue		737,886.26
TOTAL		$2,429,196.66

EXHIBIT A

TAXES and EXCISE RECEIVABLE

December 31, 1966

Year	Poll	Personal Property	Real Estate	Motor Vehicle	Farm Animal	Total
1953	$	$ 50.00	$	$ 39.50	$	$ 89.50
1954	4.00	225.49	69.00	2,058.73		2,357.22
1955	2.00	274.55	76.36	746.32		1,099.23
1956		763.62		675.92		1,439.54
1957	2.00	836.64		3,830.04		4,668.68
1958	4.00	717.12	361.88	3,155.25		4,238.25
1959	26.00	1,055.42	551.06	3,273.70		4,906.18
1960	46.00	2,255.26	60,687.56	6,817.17	3.13	69,809.12
1961	110.00	1,766.07	57,382.67	6,155.19		65,413.93
1962	100.00	1,987.20	60,778.73	6,119.69	50.00	69,035.62
1963	530.00	1,968.30	62,446.86	11,033.73	30.00	76,008.89
1964		1,873.57	68,863.84	11,398.93		82,136.34
1965		2,157.34	121,530.64	25,628.10		149,316.08
1966		74,391.96	320,522.35	61,756.26	27.75	456,698.32
Total	$824.00	$90,322.54	$753,270.95	$142,688.53	$110.88	$987,216.90

Included above are the following unpaid taxes due from the Boston and Maine Railroad:

1960 Real Estate	$ 59,284.27
1961 Real Estate	56,839.55
1962 Real Estate	59,009.09
1963 Real Estate	61,921.76
1964 Real Estate	67,136.22
1965 Real Estate	70,931.89
1966 Real Estate	72,422.28
1966 Personal Property (Boston and Maine Corporation)	16,240.00
TOTAL	$463,785.06

EXHIBIT B

SPECIAL FUNDS INCLUDED IN GENERAL CASH

December 31, 1966

Medical Assistance — U. S. Grant	$ 9,901.62
Old Age Assistance — U. S. Grant	1,150.78
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — U. S. Grant	3,745.76
Disability Assistance — U. S. Grant	1,530.20
Medical Assistance for the Aged — U. S. Grant — Administration	707.48
Medical Assistance — U. S. Grant — Administration	852.74
Old Age Assistance — U. S. Grant — Administration	3,245.25
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — U. S. Grant — Administration	5,269.19
Disability Assistance — U. S. Grant — Administration	2,605.25
School Lunch Program	36,650.55
High School Athletics — Revolving Fund	1,700.15
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 874	23,050.45
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 864	834.80
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 88-210	13.25
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 89-10	24.45
School Band Fund	312.80
Bowers Fund Income	240.36
Haynes Fund Income	243.02
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund Income	666.05
Workmen's Compensation Fund	5,197.67
Zadok Howe Fund Income	3.32
Spaulding Fund Income	8.37
Stearns Fund Income	60.99
Faulkner Fund Income	78.58
Kent Fund Income	2,516.54
Rogers Fund Income	43.97
Cemetery — Sale of Lots Fund	6,517.20
Cemetery — Trust Fund Income	878.54
Cemetery — Perpetual Care Bequests	375.00
Forest Fund	2,750.00
Cemetery — Gray Fund Income	85.00
East Billerica School Construction Grant—Lowell Gas Co.	8,860.00
Treble Cove School Construction Grant—Mass. Electric Co.	853.00
Federal Grant — Sewer Project	192,800.00
Stabilization Fund	24,535.76
Planning Board — Bond Forfeiture	1,314.70
TOTAL	$339,622.79

EXHIBIT C

UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATION BALANCES

December 31, 1966

Perfecting Tax Titles	$ 1,884.65
Preparation of Tax Maps — 1964	812.82
Industrial Commission	3,929.12
Council for the Aging	120.43
Conservation Funds — 1963	54.11
Conservation Commission — 1965	1,250.00
Forest Committee — 1966	298.48
River Pines School — Land Taking Expenses	797.00
River Pines School Construction	39,667.93
East Billerica School Construction	107,784.02
Option to Purchase Land for School Site	1,000.00
School Land Acquisition Expenses	4,792.75
Vining School Roof	27,000.00
High School Fire Damage	4,303.50
School Department — Unpaid Bills	5,636.30
Advertising Tax Title Lots	798.00
Employment of Engineers, etc. — Talbot Mills, etc.	1,321.27
Planning Board Expenses — 1963	450.00
Planning Board — Expenses of Appealing Board of Appeals' Decisions	500.00
Chapter 90 Construction — 1965	8,772.46
Chapter 90 Construction — 1966	11,900.00
Bridge Street Repairs	17,736.81
Sidewalk — Andover Road to Carline Drive	9,405.80
Sidewalk — Baldwin Road to Bellflower Road	7,500.00
Land for Pumping Station	50.00
Two Sander Bodies	1,682.75
Unpaid Bills — 1964	60.95
Unpaid Bills — 1966	960.39
Printing By-Laws	200.00
Drainage — Hillside Road	1,678.28
Sewer Construction	445,871.34
Fire Engine	19.00
New Fire Station	4,660.57
New Fire Station — 1966	6,000.00
Fire Department — Additional Men	1,884.53
Fire Alarm Boxes	23.64
Garbage Contract	10,687.50
Nuttings Lake Algae Control — 1965	100.00
M.B.T.A. Charges	841.70
Washington Street Damages	250.00
Town Hall — Hand Rail	50.00
Two Permanent Police Officers	524.30
Police — Station Wagons	146.42
Police — Heating System Repairs	50.00
Police — Portable Radios	169.25

Water Department — Filter Repairs	5,950.48
Water Extensions — 1966	3,308.55
Water Extensions — Treble Cove Road	10,346.21
Wire Broom	19.00
Floor Jack	54.55
Water Department — Air Compressor	3,000.00
Musgrave Land Acquisition	5,000.00
Nashua Road Drainage	5,496.87
Sidewalk — Boston Road	4,307.50
Public Works Department — Training Program	75.00
Sewer Rates — Engineering Services	5,000.00
Welfare Benefits	760.48
V. F. W.	200.00
Conservation Commission — 1966	1,190.14
TOTAL	$778,334.85

STATEMENT OF DEBT ACCOUNTS

December 31, 1966

Amount to be Provided in Future Years for Principal Payments	$5,380,000.00

Loans Payable:	
Street, Sewer and Police Station Bonds	$ 40,000.00
Ditson School Addition	40,000.00
Standpipe Construction	12,000.00
Parker Elementary School	210,000.00
Water Loan — 1954 — Filtration Plant	103,000.00
Water Loan — 1953	260,000.00
Water Mains Extensions — 1954	30,000.00
Memorial High School	840,000.00
Vining School	267,000.00
Water Mains Extensions — 1956	80,000.00
Howe Junior High School Addition	80,000.00
Treble Cove School	580,000.00
East Billerica School	1,005,000.00
Sewerage System	1,740,000.00
Fire Station	65,000.00
Treble Cove Road — Water Extension	28,000.00
TOTAL LOANS PAYABLE	$5,380,000.00

NOTE: The above figures do not include a loan authorized but unissued in the amount of $3,000,000.00 for a new Junior High School.

There is also an unissued loan authorization for $6,200.00 for water extensions on Treble Cove Road.

DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

December 31, 1966

Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments Not Due	$46,958.12
Apportion Street Betterment Assessments Revenue	
Due in 1967	$ 3,856.30
Due in 1968	3,463.31
Due in 1969	3,339.36
Due in 1970	3,339.31
Due in 1971	3,289.76
Due in 1972	3,229.97
Due in 1973	2,960.56
Due in 1974	2,811.06
Due in 1975	2,801.81
Due in 1976	2,783.81
Due in 1977	2,761.81
Due in 1978	2,650.31
Due in 1979	2,625.81
Due in 1980	2,625.81
Due in 1981	2,625.81
Due in 1982	1,793.32
TOTAL	$46,958.12

BALANCE SHEET — TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1966

ASSETS

Cash and Securities	$232,395.54

FUND BALANCES

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:		
North Cemetery	$25,085.00	
Fox Hill Cemetery	58,115.00	
South Cemetery	3,745.00	
Old Hill Cemetery	550.00	$ 87,495.00
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts		7,133.99
Cemetery — General Care Funds:		
Faulkner Cemetery Fund — North	$ 2,343.71	
Gray Cemetery Fund — Fox Hill	1,328.49	
Thompson Cemetery Fund — Fox Hill	1,975.87	5,648.07
Abbott Singing Fund		2,225.91
Bowers and Stearns Charity Fund		41,303.65
Common Seat Fund		292.92
Haynes — Jenkins Drinking Fountain Fund		124.98
Charles H. Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund		10,618.88
Watering Trough Fund		163.89
Winthrop Faulkner Library Fund		1,000.00
Zadok Howe Fund		34,224.14
Spaulding Fund		7,959.87
Stearns Fund		1,098.59
Faulkner Fund		2,466.56
Kent Fund		1,700.94
Rogers Fund		82.35
French School Fund		5,939.92
Workmen's Compensation Fund		12,892.60
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund		4,457.38
Stabilization Fund		53,807.64
Elliot Fund		1,758.26
TOTAL		$232,395.54

TRUST FUND ASSETS

December 31, 1966

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:

Bank of Deposit	North	Fox Hill	South	Old Hill	Total
First Federal Savings and Loan Association	$ 550.00	$ 2,425.00			$ 2,975.00
Lowell Institution for Savings	2,350.00	950.00		375.00	3,675.00
Central Savings Bank	8,125.00	19,275.00	1,095.00		28,495.00
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	9,435.00	29,715.00	2,350.00	75.00	41,575.00
Lowell Cooperative Bank	350.00	1,650.00	200.00		2,200.00
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	4,275.00	4,100.00	100.00	100.00	8,575.00
TOTAL	$25,085.00	$58,115.00	$3,745.00	$550.00	$87,495.00

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts:			
Central Savings Bank		$ 3,208.84	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		2,223.37	
Lowell Institution for Savings		1,176.04	
First Federal Savings and Loan Association		525.74	7,133.99
Cemetery — General Care Funds:			
Faulkner Fund —			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		$ 2,343.71	
Gray Fund —			
Lowell Institution for Savings		1,328.49	
Thompson Fund:			
Middlesex County National Bank	$1,397.98		
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	577.89	1,975.87	5,648.07
Abbott Singing Fund —			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank			2,225.91
Bowers and Stearns Charity Fund:			
Middlesex County National Bank		$ 2,898.31	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		23,871.20	
Central Savings Bank		7,846.85	
Lowell Institution for Savings		6,687.29	41,303.65
Common Seat Fund — Central Savings Bank			292.92
Haynes - Jenkins Drinking Fountain Fund:			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank			124.98
Charles H. Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund:			
Lowell Institution for Savings		$ 198.07	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		1,420.81	
United States Treasury Bond		2,000.00	
Central Savings Bank		7,000.00	10,618.88

Watering Trough Fund —		
Central Savings Bank		163.89
Winthrop Faulkner Library Fund —		
Central Savings Bank		1,000.00
Workmen's Compensation Fund:		
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	$ 345.09	
First Bank and Trust Company	12,547.51	12,892.60
Stabilization Fund:		
Central Savings Bank	$ 3,807.64	
Arlington Trust Company —		
Certificate of Deposit	50,000.00	53,807.64
Elliot Fund — Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		1,758.26
Funds with Assets in Hands of Trustees:		
Zadok Howe Fund	$ 34,224.14	
Spaulding Fund	7,959.87	
Stearns Fund	1,098.59	
Faulkner Fund	2,466.56	
Kent Fund	1,700.94	
Rogers Fund	82.35	
French Fund	5,939.92	
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund	4,457.38	57,929.75
TOTAL TRUST FUND ASSETS		$232,395.54

ANALYSIS OF TRUST FUNDS

Year Ended December 31, 1966

	Balance Jan. 1, 1966	New Funds 1966	Income 1966	Withdrawals 1966	Balance Dec. 31, 1966
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:					
North Cemetery	$ 25,085.00	$	$	$	$ 25,085.00
Fox Hill Cemetery	54,915.00	3,200.00			58,115.00
South Cemetery	3,745.00				3,745.00
Old Hill Cemetery	550.00				550.00
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts	4,578.17	3,242.66	413.16	1,100.00	7,133.99
Cemetery — General Care Funds:					
Faulkner Cemetery Fund	2,247.21		96.50		2,343.71
Gray Cemetery Fund	1,373.40		55.09	100.00	1,328.49
Thompson Cemetery Fund	1,909.31		66.56		1,975.87
Abbott Singing Fund	2,134.26		91.65		2,225.91
Bowers and Stearns Fund	40,089.33		1,714.32	500.00	41,303.65
Common Seat Fund	280.18		12.74		292.92
Haynes - Jenkins Fund	119.86		5.12		124.98
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund	10,552.48		66.40		10,618.88
Watering Trough Fund	156.78		7.11		163.89
Winthrop Faulkner Fund — Library	1,000.00		45.50	45.50	1,000.00
Zadok Howe Fund	33,987.87		2,406.89	2,170.62	34,224.14
Spaulding Fund	7,964.39		387.86	392.38	7,959.87
Stearns Fund	1,036.77		135.96	74.14	1,098.59
Faulkner Fund	2,294.63		176.73	4.80	2,466.56
Kent Fund	1,667.18		277.17	243.41	1,700.94
Rogers Fund	84.19		3.20	5.04	82.35
French Fund	6,253.11			313.19	5,939.92
Workmen's Compensation Fund	12,347.02		545.58		12,892.60
Stabilization Fund	53,641.95	50,000.00	165.69	50,000.00	53,807.64
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund	4,256.22		201.16		4,457.38
Elliot Fund	1,685.88		72.38		1,758.26
TOTAL	$273,955.19	$56,442.66	$6,946.77	$54,949.08	$282,395.54

SCHEDULE OF FUTURE PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS ON TOWN DEBT*

As of December 31, 1966

Payable in	Jr. High School Addition	Standpipe Construct.	Water Works Loan	Water Mains 1954	Filtration Plant	Water Mains 1956	Ditson School Addition	Parker School	Water Ext. Treble Cove Road
1967	$ 80,000.00	$ 4,000.00	$ 30,000.00	$ 10,000.00	$ 15,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 35,000.00	$28,000.00
1968		4,000.00	30,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	35,000.00	
1969		4,000.00	30,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00		35,000.00	
1970			30,000.00		15,000.00	20,000.00		35,000.00	
1971			30,000.00		15,000.00			35,000.00	
1972			30,000.00		10,000.00			35,000.00	
1973			30,000.00		10,000.00				
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Payable in	Memorial High School	Nottings Lake School	Sewer & Building Bonds	Treble Cove School	East Billerica School	Sewer Construction	Fire Station	TOTAL
1967	$ 105,000.00	$ 32,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 35,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 574,000.00
1968	105,000.00	30,000.00	20,000.00	35,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	459,000.00
1969	105,000.00	30,000.00		35,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	419,000.00
1970	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	395,000.00
1971	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		360,000.00
1972	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		355,000.00
1973	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		320,000.00
1974	105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		298,000.00
1975		25,000.00		30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		180,000.00
1976		25,000.00		30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		180,000.00
1977				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		155,000.00
1978				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		155,000.00
1979				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1980				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1981				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1982				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1983				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1984				30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		145,000.00
1985						60,000.00		60,000.00
1986						60,000.00		60,000.00
1987						60,000.00		60,000.00
1988						60,000.00		60,000.00
1989						60,000.00		60,000.00
1990						60,000.00		60,000.00
1991						60,000.00		60,000.00
1992						60,000.00		60,000.00
1993						60,000.00		60,000.00
1994						60,000.00		60,000.00
1995						60,000.00		60,000.00
	$ 840,000.00	$ 267,000.00	$ 40,000.00	$ 580,000.00	$1,005,000.00	$1,740,000.00	$ 65,000.00	$5,380,000.00

*Not including new Junior High School Loan, authorized but unissued, in the amount of $3,000,000.00.
*Not including Treble Cove Road Water Extension Loan, authorized but unissued in the amount of $6,200.00.

SCHEDULE OF FUTURE INTEREST PAYMENTS ON TOWN DEBT*

As of December 31, 1966

Payable in	Jr. High School Addition	Standpipe Construct.	Water Works Loan	Water Mains 1954	Filtration Plant	Water Mains 1956	Ditson School Addition	Parker School	Water Ext. Treble Cove Road
1967	$ 900.00	$ 210.00	$ 7,350.00	$ 630.00	$ 2,317.50	$ 2,480.00	$ 600.00	$ 5,040.00	$ 660.10
1968		140.00	6,450.00	420.00	1,980.00	1,860.00	200.00	4,200.00	
1969		70.00	5,550.00	210.00	1,642.50	1,240.00		3,360.00	
1970			4,650.00		1,305.00	620.00		2,520.00	
1971			3,750.00		967.50			1,680.00	
1972			2,850.00		630.00			840.00	
1973			1,950.00		405.00				
1974			1,350.00		180.00				
1975			1,050.00						
1976			750.00						
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	$ 900.00	$ 420.00	$ 36,300.00	$ 1,260.00	$ 9,427.50	$ 6,200.00	$ 800.00	$ 17,640.00	$ 660.10

Payable in	High School	Lake School	Building Bonds	Cove School	Billerica School	Sewer Construction	Fire Station	TOTAL
1967	$ 18,900.00	$ 6,902.50	$ 1,360.00	$ 18,000.00	$ 33,165.00	$ 59,160.00	$ 2,210.00	$ 159,885.10
1968	16,380.00	6,050.00	680.00	16,880.00	31,185.00	57,120.00	1,530.00	145,075.00
1969	13,860.00	5,225.00		15,760.00	29,205.00	55,080.00	1,020.00	132,222.50
1970	11,340.00	4,468.75		14,640.00	27,225.00	53,040.00	510.00	120,318.75
1971	8,820.00	3,781.25		13,520.00	25,410.00	51,000.00		108,928.75
1972	6,300.00	3,093.75		12,400.00	23,595.00	48,960.00		98,668.75
1973	3,780.00	2,406.25		11,280.00	21,780.00	46,920.00		88,521.25
1974	1,260.00	1,718.75		10,160.00	19,965.00	44,880.00		79,513.75
1975		1,031.25		9,120.00	18,150.00	42,840.00		72,191.25
1976		343.75		8,160.00	16,335.00	40,800.00		66,388.75
1977				7,200.00	14,520.00	38,760.00		60,930.00
1978				6,240.00	12,705.00	36,720.00		55,815.00
1979				5,280.00	10,890.00	34,680.00		50,850.00
1980				4,320.00	9,075.00	32,640.00		46,035.00
1981				3,360.00	7,260.00	30,600.00		41,220.00
1982				2,400.00	5,445.00	28,560.00		36,405.00
1983				1,440.00	3,630.00	26,520.00		31,590.00
1984				480.00	1,815.00	24,480.00		26,775.00
1985						22,440.00		22,440.00
1986						20,400.00		20,400.00
1987						18,360.00		18,360.00
1988						16,320.00		16,320.00
1989						14,280.00		14,280.00
1990						12,240.00		12,240.00
1991						10,200.00		10,200.00
1992						8,160.00		8,160.00
1993						6,120.00		6,120.00
1994						4,080.00		4,080.00
1995						2,040.00		2,040.00
	$ 80,640.00	$ 35,021.25	$ 2,040.00	$ 160,640.00	$ 311,355.00	$ 887,400.00	$ 5,270.00	$1,904,661.35

*Not including new Junior High School Loan, authorized but unissued, in the amount of $3,000,000.00.

Annual Report

of the

School Committee

of the

Town of Billerica

For the Year Ending December 31

1966

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

John T. Glavin, Chairman ..... Term Expires 1967
Paul J. Heffernan, Vice Chairman ..... Term Expires 1968
Robert F. Loranger, Secretary ..... Term Expires 1969
Andrew T. Card ..... Term Expires 1969
Irving Folk ..... Term Expires 1968

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Frederick C. Riel ..... Telephone 663-4714
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William H. Flaherty, Jr. ..... Telephone 933-4157
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390 Boston Road 663-4612

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

F. Lester Shaughnessey ..... Telephone 667-1567
Office: Memorial High School ..... Telephone 663-4274

CALENDAR FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1966-67

Wednesday, September 7 ..... Schools open
Wednesday, October 12 - Columbus Day ..... Schools closed
Wednesday, October 19 - Teachers' Convention ..... Schools closed
Tuesday, November 8 - State election ..... Elem. Schools closed
Friday, November 11 - Veterans' Day ..... Schools closed
Wednesday, November 23 ..... Schools close at noon
Thursday, November 24 ..... Schools closed
Friday, November 25 ..... Schools closed
Friday, December 23 ..... Schools close at noon
Tuesday, January 3 ..... Schools re-open
Friday, February 17 ..... Schools close
Monday, February 27 ..... Schools re-open
Friday, March 24 - Good Friday ..... Schools closed
Friday, April 14 ..... Schools close
Monday, April 24 ..... Schools re-open
Tuesday, May 30 - Memorial Day ..... Schools closed
Friday, June 23 ..... Schools close

SCHOOL CENSUS

(5-16 years) October 1, 1966
Not including pupils over 15 years of age

	Boys	Girls	Total
Number of children 5 or 6 years	576	475	1051
Number of children 7-15 years	2785	2573	5358
TOTALS	3361	3048	6409

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

No School Signal:

When it is necessary to close schools because of travel conditions, five radio stations—WHDH, WBZ, WLLH, WCAP and WNAC—will make the No School announcements starting at 6:00 a.m. or as near to that time as possible. The following telephone numbers may be called after 6:30 a.m.: 663-2065 or 663-4274.

Ordinarily, schools will be closed only when travel conditions make it dangerous for pupils to ride on school buses. In the event of a cold, driving rain or other extreme conditions, the parent may need to exercise judgment where the health of the child is involved because of distance, necessity of waiting in an exposed area for a bus, type of clothing worn, or other factors.

Because of emergencies, pupils are sometimes sent home early from schools. Parents should make arrangements with friends or neighbors to take care of the children when they come home.

Entrance Age:

For admission to the first grade in September 1967, a child must have been born on or before January 1, 1962. A birth certificate is required of all pupils unless their parents were residents of Billerica at the time of the childen's births. Children entering the first grade will be admitted only during the month of September.

Every child entering the schools in any grade must present a certificate of successful vaccination, or a certificate of exemption, from a registered physician.

Employment Certificates:

Employment certificates (working cards) are issued at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Administration Building; Guidance Office, Memorial High School; Principal's Office, Howe Junior High School. Application must be made in person and a birth or baptismal certificate must be presented.

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE (As of October 1, 1966)

		AGES																
Grade		5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Total	
Spec.	B			0	3	5	4	3	3	9	6	3	1				37	
	G			2	0	4	4	4	4	2	1	0	0				21	58
1	B	95	341	43	1	0											480	
	G	88	274	30	0	1											393	873
2	B		81	290	58	5											434	
	G		57	262	40	5											364	798
3	B			57	266	60	9	3									395	
	G			61	226	41	7	0									335	730
4	B				61	224	56	8	1	1							351	
	G				60	241	28	7	0	0							336	687
5	B					55	201	38	11	3							308	
	G					64	216	22	5	1							308	616
6	B					0	44	179	50	13							286	
	G					1	57	179	23	1							261	547
7	B						3	46	164	52	19	3					287	
	G						0	46	180	31	9	0					266	553
8	B								43	153	50	9	2				257	
	G								48	161	19	4	0				232	489
9	B									31	136	66	24	7		1	265	
	G									34	150	34	10	2		0	230	495
10	B									0	23	112	47	15	2	1	200	
	G									2	25	124	30	8	1	0	190	390
11	B											23	78	29	6	5	141	
	G											36	89	25	5	0	155	296
12	B												28	78	24	3	133	
	G												52	88	20	1	161	294
	B	95	422	390	389	349	317	277	272	262	234	216	180	129	32	10	3574	
	G	88	331	355	326	357	312	258	260	232	204	198	181	123	26	1	3252	
		183	753	745	715	706	629	535	532	494	438	414	361	252	58	11		6826

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Billerica

Gentlemen:

I have the duty and privilege to present herewith my ninth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools for the year 1966. I recommend that you read the reports of the members of my staff which immediately follow these pages. They will give you a detailed summary of enrollments and departmental activities.

Serious problems face the field of education. There is a growing awareness that we can advance the process of learning and hence the maturing of children by many years. Therefore, great pressure is being exerted to give pre-school training to the three, four and five-year-old pupils. What effect will this have on his post-school life?

Is the "progressive education" introduced in the 1930's adequate to cover conditions in these days when the horizon of knowledge has literally moved "out of this world?"

Has the curriculum been broadened proportionately? If it is decided that more emphasis be placed upon the requirements imposed by present-day advancements, how far and in what directions shall the curricula be projected? How far should the teaching of today's disciplines be projected? Will enough emphasis be placed upon the need for technicians? Or will the aim be to create more scientists? What delicate balance must the administrator insist upon to direct education along practical — rather than more theoretical — avenues?

Billerica faces many problems that have an immediate urgency. Chapter 763 mandates collective bargaining agents under regulations prescribed by the State Labor Relations Commission. Many hours will be spent in bargaining with the teachers' organization that wins the election conducted by the State Labor Relations Commission.

Chapter 14 of the Acts of 1966 provides for a 3% limited sales tax. With this new source of funds and with a more up-to-date formula, state reimbursements on account of school should reach an estimated all-time high entitlement of $185,000,000. The money from the sales tax goes back to the general fund. Our position is that the part of the sales tax money being returned to the Town **on account of** education **should be used** for education.

Sharply increasing enrollments have placed greater strain on the physical facilities of the school systems, and the parallel needs to recruit and hold qualified teachers for these enrollments continue to be preplexing problems.

Chapter 150 of the Acts of 1966 requires physical education to be carried on daily in the public schools. This demands more space for physical education program in the secondary schools.

It is also safe to assume that each school district **shall** provide a half day of kindergarten for the full school year between September and June, with attendance permissive. How many classrooms will this dictate?

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts is serious in demanding quality

education. The former Board of Education could only recommend standards, but the present Board has statutory authority to mandate such standards. Therefore, it is imperative that you share the goal of quality education and that you will continue to cooperate in seeking its attainment.

The few problems stated above point out the fact that a vital decision must be reached. The Superintendent has to decide what the Town needs and to make recommendations.

I. School Population:

It is imperative that the people residing in Billerica become fully aware that at the present time there are only 33 school systems larger than ours in school population. We have an enrollment larger than Brookline, Watertown, Westfield, Norwood and Fitchburg.

II. Projected School Enrollment 1967-1972.

	Grades 1-6	Grades 7-8	Grades 9-12	Total
1967-68	4695	1125	1660	7480
1968-69	5090	1195	1925	8210
1969-70	5350	1330	2080	8760
1970-71	5715	1445	2200	9360
1971-72	6150	1555	2395	10,100

The above projections do not include kindergarten pupils, nor pupils that we will get if the compulsory education age for mandatory attendance is lowered.

I recommend:

A. That an article be inserted in the warrant of a town meeting to take out a bond issue of between $250,000 — $300,000 to purchase six parcels of land as soon as possible for future school sites. If this is not done Billerca will face serious problems in the future.

B. That an elementary school be built in North Billerica section — to be completed for September 1969.

C. That another Junior High School be built for 1970 (This would permit us to enlarge the present High School by combining it with the Howe Junior High).

D. Build an elementary school in the Rio Vista section and in the vicinity of Alexander Road in the Pinehurst section.

Building trends would determine where any future schools should be built. Population trends could change the order of the above recommdations.

Conclusion:

I wish to take this opportunity to commend the staff who give unstintingly of their time and strength and for their unfailing loyalty and cooperation.

For the cooperation and support of the School Committee we are equally grateful and it is a pleasure to acknowledge the helpful interest and assistance rendered by all town officials.

Respectfully submitted,
FREDERICK C. RIEL
Superintendent of Schools

BILLERICA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Enrollment — October 1, 1966

Grades	High	Jr. High	Kennedy	Parker	Pollard	Ditson	Talbot	Dutile	Vining	J. H. Elem.	Totals
12	294										294
11	296										296
10	390										390
9	495										495
8		489									489
7		553									553
6			97			69		79	102	200	547
5			124	138	97	97		93	67		616
4			132	138	96	102	25	99	95		687
3			139	150		115	125	104	97		730
2			149	151		124	135	126	113		798
1			173	178		133	135	126	128		873
Sp. Cl.		58									58
Total	1475	1100	814	755	193	640	420	627	602	200	6826

Recapitulation:	1965	1966
High	1383	1475
Junior High	1014	1100
Elementary	3981	4251
Total	6378	6826

RESIGNATIONS

Janet Allen
Marilyn A. Blaisdell
Vincent F. Blake
James F. Buckley
Patricia E. Cain
Anne B. Casey
Joseph D. Cashton
Gladys Cerrato
Peggy A. Clark
Thomas F. Connor
Marie J. M. Devanney
James F. DeVellis
Ruth J. Drescher
Maureen Duchesneau
Matha A. Dunn
Charles A. Eksoozian
G. David Flanagan
Vicki A. Flint
Pamela S. Gallant
Nannene Gowdy
David L. Halpin
Anne Hennessey
Chester D. Ingraham
Ralph J. Jannino, Jr.
Cecilia Joy
John L. Lalumiere
Gennaro Lepre
Angela Marchese
Dennis Marino
Phyllis Meltz
Esther Moglia
Gerald Nazarian
Kathleen D. Olson
Elaine M. Osborn
Denise P. Ranere
Norma Roos
Ruth Ann Rose
Jo-an Savitz
Leon A. Sedar
Sandra Sheppard
Alice V. Shipsey
Patricia L. Sullivan
Socrates G. Taseos
Douglas N. Taylor
Suzanne Trevors
Suzanne B. Trowbridge
John J. Walsh
Nancy Weston
Barbara Whitford
Don V. Yates

Reasons for Resignations

19 - Another position
8 - Maternity
3 - Another field
6 - Moved out of State
1 - At home
1 - To travel
2 - Deceased
2 - Retired
1 - Health
1 - To be married
6 - Other

APPOINTMENTS

Brenda Ann Allen
Paula A. Baker
Patricia Bennett
Kathleen M. Beutler
Marilyn A. Blaisdell
Kathleen H. Breen
Marguerite D. Buttrick
Gladys Cerrato
Claire G. Chillemi
Margaret M. Clune
Linda K. Collins
Anthony J. Damiano
Marguerite DelVisco
Robert E. Donnelly, Jr.
Marguerite Donovan
William P. Downing
Phyllis E. Drescher
Patricia A. Driscoll
Donald D. Fagan
Sheila E. Fagan
Beverly E. Feinberg
Jane A. Foley
Carolyn M. Fowler
Leonard J. Gebhard
Charles P. Gourlis
James F. Hanley
Margaret R. Harding
George F. Hickey, Jr.
Phyllis V. Homer
Valerie Illingworth
Charles W. Ingalls
Alice Kefalas
David Kontoff
Louise S. Ladd
Rudolph L. Laine
Virginia A. Laramee
Judith M. Lee
Deborah K. Leith
Estafaye S. Levine
Diane H. Lewis
Alma M. MacDonald
Judith A. Madden
Peter M. Maguire
Ralph Mahairas
Philip F. Markey
Peter Markham
Carolyn M. Wicher
Jane F. McCaffrey
Paula M. McCormack
Donna M. McKinley
Marilynn Mincey
David D. Moore
Ronald L. Morell
Betsy S. Murray
Mary Ellen Nessler
Robert W. Papera
Emilee J. Pappazisia
Patricia E. Parks
Gail E. Pruter
Bernard A. Ralph, Jr.
Suzan Redgate
John J. Riley
James J. Roach
Mollie A. Rubenstein
David R. Snelson
Hazel Vernaglia
Cynda Wade
Paul L. Whitley
Rose J. Winters
Nora E. Wold
John E. Young, Jr.
Susan K. Zemelman
Jane M. Zinober

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

James F. Fournier, Jr. — High School
Leonard K. Smith — J. H. Elem.

BILLERICA MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

In September of 1966, Billerica Memorial High School began its Fall semester with a record enrollment of 1480 students, which represented an increase of 115 above that of September 1965. A projected enrollment figure for September of 1967 has been set at 1660 students, which includes a rather sobering indication that this estimate may be somewhat conservative. This escalation of enrollment, unfortunately, is straining the physical and the educational facilities of a school plant initially designed to house 1000 students. At a time when student grouping should be entering a more desirable level of refinement, flexibility, and placement accuracy, increasing enrollment is precluding staff efforts to achieve progress in this vital educational endeavor calculated to enhance and render more meaningful the offerings in particular subject areas for the benefit of the student. When existing physical facilities become inversely related to enrollment, grouping becomes adulterated. and problems, of maintaining reasonable class loads, continuing quality guidance services, providing for effective student control, supervising the corridors, cafeteria, athletic and social events, as well as the attempt to apprehend truants, seem to border upon Malthusian progression. Due measurably to the foresight and to the resourcefulness of Mr. Riel, Superintendent of Schools, in creating teaching stations at minimal cost to the taxpayer has it been possible for the high school to absorb this staggering influx in student numbers within recent years and not only maintain quality instruction but augment its educational offerings through the pragmatic application of Mr. Ingraham's concern for the efficacy of student grouping by past achievement, intelligence, and recognized educational potentiality.

Presently our science facilities are operating at a level which I consider to be maximum plus, yet, due to the abiding dedication of this department, acceptable and probably commendable instruction is continuing daily. This is generally true of the faculty in its entirety who discharge their responsibilities with alacrity, with devotion to duty and who comprise an intelligent and a dedicated staff.

Of particular significance is a ten year analogy between October of 1956 with a high school faculty of 30 teachers and 661 students to October of 1966 with a high school faculty of 76, inclusive of guidance personnel, and a student total of 1478.

In view of this rather negative aspect of actual and projected enrollment, what is being accomplished? The Business Department has incorpoated a Record Keeping course for those Sophomores unable to qualify academically for Bookkeeping I. Plans are being formulated to convert a classroom into a simulated business office for the purpose

of orientating commercial students to the environment of a modern modern business office. We envision the necessity of equiping another room to meet the increased interest in Typewriting. The possibility exists that sudents enrolled in the College course could enroll in a personal typewriting course two days a week for one semester, thus eliminating the Saturday morning and the Summer Session course in Typewriting, or at least alleviating the loads in these sessions.

Within the definitive limits of elective courses in the English Department we are anticipating enlarging the choice of electives from the current Creative Writing and Public Spaking to include such one semester subjects as "The American Short Story," "The American Drama Since O'Neill," "Six Shakespearean Plays," and "Poetry." This department in cooperation with the Business Department is intensifying its efforts to provide a curriculum which will render the best preparation for both the college and the non-college bound student.

In the Foreign Language Department, modern texts in both French and Spanish have replaced older versions to conform with the present trend of utilizing the aural-oral approach in language teaching. A combination of the traditional method and the aural-oral approach is proving to be more effective in the teaching of advanced French and advanced Spanish Tapes, as supplementary tools are now available to teachers in the Language Laboratory which is being used more extensively than in the past. When sufficient student interest warrants, a course in third year German will be added to our program and the possible addition of Russian or Italiian to this department is undergoing a feasibility study by Mr. Merrifield, the Foreign Language Department Head.

Mention should be given here to the Industrial Arts Department which offers to participating students a climate of industrial orientation, occupational information, and the opportunity to acquire knowledge and to develop skills marketable in industry upon graduation from this program. The excellent safety record maintained in the shop areas is directly attributable to the discipline manifested there and the ability of the students and the instructors to work together harmoniously.

The projeced plans of the Mathematics Department within the three college track groupings include the mathematics disciplines of Analytic Geometry, Advanced Trigonometry, Abstract Algebra, and Calculus for advanced college placement for the "E" student, as well as Pre-Calculus and Analytic Geometry for the "A" and the "B" grouped students. A fully equipped mathematics laboratory was installed this year and it is hoped that when space permits this laboratory will function as a research room for the accelerated groups and may be used for a seminar type of class.

The Social Studies Department was involved in the following educational ventures: History conferences at Regis College, a 3-day National conference on local governments at the Sheraton-Boston Hotel, arrangement for the visitation of foreign students to various social study classes for the purpose of imparting information to students. Countries represented were Pakistan, Sweden, India and England. Our students also participated in a model United Nations Assembly at Boston College.

The growth of the Science Department continues to be phenomenal with over 2000 students in grades 7 through 12 enrolled in this discipline. I am especially pleased to announce the success of the annual science fair in which of the top five students selected for the regional fair at Lowell Technological Institute four students received awards and one was a gold medal winner indicating classification within the top five exhibits out of a total 125 exhibits from 30 participating high schools at the fair. The Quantum Theory is the basis of a course in advanced chemistry geared for the needs of those students planning on a technical career upon graduation. An eclectic approach in this course with reference to the CHEMS, C.B.A., and traditional chemistry content is most effective with these students of demonstrated ability. Unfortunately, the present laboratory facilities were initially planned to accommodate a fractional amount of the current enrollment. In September of 1967 we will require more space and equipment if the quality of the science laboratory offerings is to be maintained and hopefully augmented.

A welcome innovation to the school this year is the installation of unit record equipment initiated through the efforts of Mr. Flaherty, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, and under the supervision of Mr. Danahy as director. Service in the areas of compiling attendance figures, issuance of achievement reports, accounts payable and payroll computation are presently in effect.

Every indication leads to the conclusion that there is virtually an unlimited range of services which this equipment may provide. Twenty-five business department students have chosen to enroll in a key punching course held during study periods and after school. This number will increase to approximately fifty students, by June of 1967, who will have received key punching skills comparable to those gained at established business schools in the area. Courses in Basic Computer Programming, both scientific and business oriented, are now available. The former, meeting one day per week for two hours has 18 students and the latter has an enrollment of 20 students. These courses include as subject content basic programming techniques, flow charting and problem identification and solution.

In closing, I wish to express my appreciation for the spirit of cooperation so obviously manifested by the total staff and for the confidence of the School Committee during my seven months as Principal of Billerica Memorial High School. I am particularly gratified by the effort and the dedication to administrative duties demonstrated during the past five months by Mr. Archambault and Mr. O'Brien as Vice-Principals in the high school.

Appreciation, duly earned, is expressed to Mrs. Currie and Mrs. Walsh who, as high school secretaries, continue to discharge their many duties commendably. It is a distinct privilege to be associated with such dedicated personnel and to be afforded the opportunity, with them, to serve the Town of Billerica.

Respectfully submitted,

J. DAVID NUTTALL
Principal

HOWE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

French has been placed in the Howe Junior High School curriculum. Five Latin students were awarded "Cum Laude" awards for outstanding scholastic achievement during an International Latin Examination sponsored by the Association for Promotion of the Study of Latin. A full-time remedial reading instructor was added to the faculty in September. The library is available to the students under the supervision of a librarian.

The eye and ear testing program was again carried out in its usual successful manner.

Interscholastic sports were discontinued and intramural sports placed in our program.

The Junior High gymnasium is utilized for Grade Nine basketball and also for the town recreation program.

Assistant Heads of Departments have been appointed in English, Mathematics, Science, and Social Studies.

Bus transportation is provided for 93.4 per cent of grade seven and grave eight pupils.

Howe Junior High School has 46 full-time members on its staff, 3 part-time members and an enrollment of 1050 pupils. There are six grade, six classrooms in the building and five classrooms of special students.

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL S. ADAMS
Principal

JUNIOR HIGH ELEMENTARY SECTION

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report for the Junior High School Elementary Section for the year 1966.

The enrollment, as of December 1966, is as follows:

Grade	Pupils	Number of Classrooms
6	200	6

Average Number of pupils per room

33.3

81% or 162 students are transported by bus from North Billerica, Pinehurst, and West Billerica. 19% or 38 students are walkers from the Center Area.

We are exxtremely grateful for the help extended to us by the personnel of the Howe Junior High School.

Finally, I would like to express my appreciation to you, Mr. Flaherty, the School Committee, the School Nurse, and my faculty for the cooperation given to me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
Andrew A. Mountain

POLLARD SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Pollard School for the year 1966.

The enrollment at the Pollard School on December 23, 1966 was 195. The following table indicates the enrollment of grades four and five.

Grade 4	98 Pupils	3 Classes
Grade 5	97 Pupils	3 Classes
	Total 195	Total 6

Eighty-eight per cent of the pupils are transported by bus from the North Billerica area. Twelve per cent of the pupils are walkers who live in the Center area.

Because there exists no hot lunch facilities, lunches are brought from home and milk is purchased at school.

The Pollard School now has a remedial reading teacher holding classes on a full time basis. This is of immense value to our reading program.

We are in the process of setting up a school library; and, space has been made available for this worthwhile project.

The Physical Education and Art Departments have contributed notably to the school curriculum.

A very successful Open House was held on December 6 and the public was briefed on the quality education provided by the teaching staff.

I am indeed grateful for the cooperation I have received from the School Administration and from all persons connected with the Pollard School.

Respectfully submitted,
Neil F. Restani
Principal

PARKER SCHOOL

Dear Mr. Riel:

I herewith submit an annual report of the Parker School.

After several years of double sessions, our parents and faculty were indeed filled with thankfulness and gratification when assured by you, Mr. Riel, and our School Committee that the children would reassume a regular single session.

In September, there were over ninety-five new students enrolled at the Parker School. Several additional children have entered since then, while over 85 former students transferred to other communities. The general average enrollment has been about 750 students each month. There are presently 179 pupils in the five first grades, 148 pupils in the five second grades, 149 pupils in the four third grades, 137 pupils in the four fourthgrades and 143 pupils in the four fifth grades. Of this total almost eighty percent are transported. Three cafeteria periods are necessary, as usually the entire student body participate in the daily lunch program.

We have continued our practice of inviting parents to arrange for private conferences any afternoon beginning Monday through Thursday from 2:00 P.M. to 2:30 P.M., or to talk to us by phone during this time. The parental response has been of equal inestimable advantage and gain for both the student and the teacher.

Also of intrinsic value is our honor system, as regards the conduct and the effort of our students, which we have continued for many years. The majority of parents and students have voiced appreciation of the equal opportunity for every child to share in each year's quarterly honor roll publications of those children showing the disposition to receive merit for general excellence in conduct and effort, both so significant in denoting a recognized successful career during life.

Your faculty has endeavored to activate a vigorous attitude and alacrity in all students toward social studies and science by supplementing the text book and other areas of informative material with a background of movie films rented from the State Department of Education, thus providing motivation and advantage for greater comprehension and success in these fields of study.

Extra curriculum activities in reading have been provided also whenever arrangements could be carried out. All of the students of the fifth grade, where reading success is so essential, have been receiving an hour of intensive training in ability groupings each day. In addition, a large group of children from other grades, who are very weak in the techniques of learning to read well, have been selected for additional help each day.

Many repairs are badly needed after thirteen years of regular and double sessions. Our original equipment is fast becoming antiquated and worn, thus necessitating probable replacement consideration. Therefore I recommend a careful survey within the ending months of this school year.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary E. Gill

JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The John F. Kennedy School was opened in February, 1966 with an enrollment of 724 students distributed among 24 classes.

With an increase in enrollment to 805 by the opening of the school year in September, 1966, it became necessary to convert the Remedial Reading Room into an additional classroom. By December, the pupil membership totaled 820 with classes as follows:

Grade	Pupils	Number of Classrooms
1	177	5
2	149	5
3	138	4
4	130	4
5	124	4
6	102	3
Total	820	25

Projection figures indicate that the membership will continue to rise and the use of the library for classroom space may be necessary. This would deprive or severely limit the children's use of the library facilities.

Remedial Reading classes are held daily with Harriet Keefe, Remedial Reading teacher. A volunteer reading group meets with Mr. Ingalls twice a week after school. This group consists of Intermediate students who wish to strengthen their reading skills and habits.

Since the school's opening, an operetta, "Grieg's Music Box," and a Christmas program, "The Sights and Sounds of Music," have been presented by the children and most enthusiastically received by an overwhelming number of parents and friends who attended.

As the year draws to a close, it is a pleasure to commend the School Committee, the Permanent Building Committee, and the townspeople for their participation in the erection of such a beautiful and functional building for the education of youth to be a lasting memorial to the late president who valued education so highly.

We are sincerely grateful for the wonderful cooperation afforded us throughout the year and thank the many people who have helped, especially the William Eggo Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars who contributed the flags for the Auditorium stage, the Castlewood East Association who donated two overhead projectors and a 16 mm. movie projector, and Troop 55 of the Boy Scouts who presented pictures for the library.

Respectfully submitted,

Catherine L. Torre

FREDERICK J. DUTILE SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my principal's report for the Frederick J. Dutile School for the year 1966.

Our total enrollment at the start of the new school year was as follows:

Grade 1—127 in 4 classrooms
Grade 2—125 in 4 classrooms
Grade 3—107 in 3 classrooms
Grade 4—100 in 3 classrooms
Grade 5— 93 in 3 classrooms
Grade 6— 79 in 3 classrooms

Two more classrooms were needed this year to accommodate our students necessitating the use of our Library for a first grade and the Remedial Room for a second grade.

As you know, in an effort to keep class sizes from exceeding 35 pupils per room, townwide, some new bounds were set. Children from the Parker School side of River St. are attending Parker School. Six Talbot School first grade pupils, along Chelmsford Rd., are coming to the Dutile School.

Two buses are now required to transport our riders from the Nashua-Rangeway-Chelmsford Rd. and Bridge St. areas, numbering 132 in total.

We have extended our ability grouping in reading to include grades four and five. We have added arithmetic an language to ability grouping in grade six.

Available to our students, who have the need, are the services of many teaching specialists:

Mrs. Keefe—Remedial Reading
Mrs. Savitsky—Speech Therapy
Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Levine—Phys. Ed.
Mr. Wilcox-Guidance and Counseling
Mrs. Dolan—Library
Mrs. McLaughlin and Mrs Bradford—Handwriting
Miss DelVisco—Art
Miss Papoazisis and Mr. Morell—Music
Mr. DiGloria, Mr. DeLuca, and Mr. Kontoff—
Instrumental Lessons
Mrs. Hazelton—Regional Bookmobile

Open House and Parent-Teacher Conferences have had a most gratifying parent response.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Flaherty, the School Committee Members, my faculty and staff for all the kind assistance and support which has been extended to me.

Respectfully submitted,
Elizabeth F. McCarthy Ed.D
Principal

DITSON SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Ditson School for the year 1966.

The enrollment as of December is as follows:

Grade	Pupils	No. of Classrooms	Ave. No. of Pupils per room
1	136	4	34.0
2	129	4	32.2
3	113	4	28.2
4	101	3	33.6
5	97	3	32.3
6	66	2	33.0
Total	642	20	32.1

236 pupils, representing 36.7% of the enrollment are transported by bus. 368 pupils are walkers and 38 pupils take the Public Bus.

a.) 12 Fourth Grade students and 12 Sixth Grade students were transferred to the Kennedy School.

In order to alleviate overcrowded conditions at the Ditson the following transfers were effective in September 1966:

b.) 17 Sixth Grade students were transferred to the Vining School.

c.) 11 Students from Lisa Street, Partridge Road and Meade Road were transferred to the Vining School.

A program of Modern Mathematics has been introduced into the third grade curriculum.

I sincerely thank the school and town officials, the Faculty, and the non-teaching personnel for their assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS X. CALLAHAN
Principal

TALBOT SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Talbot School for the year 1966.

The following shows the enrollment by grades as of October 1, 1966 as compared to that of October 1, 1965.

Grade	Pupils 1966	No. of Classrooms 1966	Pupils 1965	No. of Classrooms 1965
1	135	4	130	4
2	135	4	129	4
3	123	4	114	4
4	25	1	25	1
	418	13	398	13

As shown by the above figures, there is a steady increase of pupils for each grade level and the first grade enrollment has increased since October 1, 1966.

Approximately 50% of the above students are transported to school. The following shows the number of pupils and the area.

Grade	Berwick	Pollard Street	Hillcrest	Oak Street	
1	12	22	19	12	65
2	16	29	17	8	70
3	14	29	14	13	70
	42	80	50	33	205

The first grades are using a new reading system in conjunction with the Scott Foresman reading system. This is called Phonetic Keys to Reading by the Economy Company, and has an all phonetic approach. Other basic books are used to supplement these systems within the classrooms.

The lunch program is well established and working well. The food is prepared and transported daily from the Billerica Memorial High School. The count varies daily for hot lunch but at the present about three quarters of the pupils buy their entire lunch, while the remaining bring their lunches and buy milk.

We have been included in the student training program for the music students from State College at Lowell. Seven classrooms were included last spring and this fall. These students work with the classroom teachers as well as supervisors.

We have received numerous library books this fall but are awaiting facilities for these books. They will be put into the basement reading room and all classrooms will have the opportunity of using them.

We have two new teachers this year, Mrs. Carolyn Fowler and Miss Patricia Driscoll. We regret that Miss Alice Shipsey is no longer a member of our teaching staff but wish her health and happiness during her retirement.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to you, the School Committee, the faculty and all others for the fine cooperation given during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Ida M. Tobey
Principal

EUGENE C. VINING SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit the report of the Eugene C. Vining School for the year 1966.

On opening day, September 7th, the enrollment was 599 pupils; this figure being an increase of 47 pupils over the previous year. Transfers and registrations have balanced and at this writing these are 600 pupils. To equalize classes, it was necessary to transfer 14 sixth grade pupils from the Ditson School to the Vining School. Also, because of a change in the boundary lines 11 children were sent to the Vining School. Thirty-five percent of the pupils are transported.

Class trips during the year included visits to Franklin Park Zoo, Prudential Building, Benson Animal Farm, and an excursion around Boston Harbor.

The first week in June saw our gymnasium transferred into a Science Lab. The children in the fifth grade conducted their experiments, formed their conclusions, recorded their experiments and presented them to the intermediate classes and parents. This procedure enable the teacher to properly evaluate the fifth grade science curriculum.

Mr. Thomas Dechan, a music supervisor from the State Department of Education, visited our school in November. Fortunately, his visit coincided with an evaluation study of an integrated history unit, "Our Heritage from Europe's Settlers." Mr. Dechan was profuse in his praise of our method of integrated work.

Open House was observed on December 6th. It proved to be a very worthwhile evening as approximately 60% of our children were represented by their parents' visitation.

School library services are supervised by Mr. George Hickey, library coordinator. Approximately 500 new books were received in September and October. We are delighted to have Mrs. Helen Dolan as our school librarian.

In conclusion, I would like to express to you, the School Committee, parents, teaching and non-teaching personnel, my appreciation for the loyalty and cooperation extended me during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

K. Shirley Cowdrey
Principal

ART EDUCATION

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The following report is submitted towards a new understanding of the accomplishments and purposes of Art Education in the Billerica Schools.

At the end of my thirty years service to the Billerica Schools as the Supervisor of Art, it is gratifying to report a year of marked progress which I outline as follows.

In September 1967 I assume in full the more comprehensive duties of Coordinator of Art Education; a position which meets the constantly increasing demands of the outstanding Art Education program which we are developing.

In September 1966 we entered into a new program at the Massachusetts College of Art wherein we accept Senior students in Art Education who teach under our guidance four full days each week. The direct value of this Teaching Center is that it stimulates and assists our existing Art Education Curriculum, keeping us in close contact with the source and authority of Art Education. It also provides access to resource materials and visual aids at Massachusetts College of Art. The inclusion of Billerica in this program was made in recognition of our complete involvement in the highest level of Art Education.

During this year we increased the number of Art teachers by two; one at Elementary level and one at High School level, making a total in this Department of six Art Teachers and one Supervisor who also teaches. This brings us nearer to the ideal structure as recommended by the State Department of Education.

With the addition of a Teacher in the High School we have been able to offer Art to many more students desirous of electing Art. We are now able to divide our students into advanced and beginning students, thereby affording the maximum of instruction. We now have 267 students enrolled in these High School Classes, but there are many more qualified students who are desirous of enrolling also.

In the Junior High School, we have restored Art to a non-elective basis as recommended by the State Director of Art Education. We now have 1050 students in Art Classes at this level. This is important and gratifying. A Junior High Curriculum includes a wide scope of Art experiences and is a vital step in the progression of Art Education from Grade one through twelve.

In the Elementary Schools we now have 4240 pupils who are taught by two Art Teachers and the Supervisor of Art; a ratio which will be changed.

We are constantly studying and evaluating visual materials for use in a supplementary Curriculum in Art Appreciation. This is a costly program but with the increased accessibility of audio-visual equipment we expect to bring the Fine Arts, past and present, in a meaningful way to every child.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN W. ROUX
Supervisor of Art Education

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Dear Mr. Reil:

The annual report of the Music Department for the year 1966 is hereby submitted.

The school enrollment increased so much that it was necessary to add three new people to our staff for the year 1966-67.

Our school system has been selected to provide demonstration and actual classroom experience for all junior and senior music students at the State College at Lowell, Massachusetts with Dr. William Fisher as the clinical professor assisted by Mr. Gazaygian and Mr. White of the college faculty.

The School Department has been engaged in an experimental class in the Humanities at the seventh grade level for the past two years. This class has been used for demonstrations for our State Supervisors of Art, Music and English along with many interested supervisors and directors in these areas, who feel we have proven this to be the answer of how these areas should be taught at the Junior High level.

We have a large High School Band and a larger Junior High Band. Our elementary instrumental program has over four hundred students involved.

The Billerica Schools offer the children a well rounded program with many interesting and valuable musical experiences through which we hope to develop a love, appreciation and understanding of not only music but the Fine Arts.

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, Principals, teachers and all people who have through their understanding and cooperation contributed to the success of our program.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. JOHNSON
Music Coordinator

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

To: Mr. Frederick C. Riel, Superintendent

Billerica has moved forward to meet the increasing emphasis on Physical Education.

The program in the elementary schools has doubled, with the students receiving two classes a week of Physical Education instead of one class which they had last year.

In order to meet the new state requirements of Physical Education daily: we have initiated a program each morning in the class room, where exercise instructions are played over the loud-speaker system, and all students exercise at one time.

A new program will begin shortly, financed by Federal funds, to give each special class student, Physical Education once a day. We feel this program has great importance to these special students so they can have the co-ordination and strength to take their place in society.

An intermural basketball program between the elementary schools for both boys and girls has been started with volunteers from the faculty as coaches. This program requires a great deal of time and effort by these volunteers to make it a success.

For the 3rd consecutive year the in-school skating program has met with great success. This program takes place at the Middlesex Valley Forum where each 6th grade student is given instruction in skating.

A new locker area for boys Physical Education classes has been finished under the gym at Billerica Memorial High School.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE S. GRACIE
Phys. Ed. Coordinator

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The Howe Junior High School has two guidance counselors just as last year. The Billerica Memorial High School guidance personnel consists of one counselor to the seniors, one to the juniors, and one to the freshmen-sophomores. As of January 3, 1967, a new counselor will work with the sophomores.

The Adjustment Counselor, who resigned from his elementary school duties in June of 1965, has been replaced as of September 1966 by a School Psychologist.

Again it is timely to bring attention to the fact that an ever increasing school enrollment makes it an impossibiliy for the counselors to service every student. The State Department of Education accepts a pupil-counselor ratio as 350. The high school counselors work with 1421 students, and the junior high school counselors with 1048 students. Exceptional and personal problems require considerable time which affords less opportunity for the counselors to fulfill the required annual interview.

The trend in the field of guidance is to attempt to gather these many students into groups to motivate their thinking toward their future education, vocations, to discuss study habits, grades and good citizenship. This Guidance Department would like to develop this technique further in order to reach more young people but lack of available space prevents growth in this direction.

The Director of Guidance presents the following data for the year of 1966.

72/293 represents approximately 25 percent of the entire Senior Class which is presently accepted for post high school education. However, when the Senior Enrollment figure (293) and the post-high school education acceptances are correlated with the four high school programs of study, a more accurate and definitive description is presented since 34 percent of the Senior Class is categorized in the College Preparatory/Technical Program.

THE ANALYSIS IS AS FOLLOWS:

1. 56/100 or 50.99 percent of the College Prep/Tech Seniors are undertaking post-high school education.
2. 8/93 or 8.60 percent of the Seniors enrolled in the Business Program are engaged in post-high school education.
3. 6/62 or 9.03 percent of the Seniors enrolled in the General Program are anticipating post-high school education.
4. 2/26 or 7.69 percent of the Seniors enrolled in the Industrial Arts Program are planning on post-high school training.

To improve our professional status, and to further our education the counselors attend as many conferences and conventions as time will allow, and do pursue courses in the universities and colleges.

The Billerica Schools Testing Program is conducted by the guidance department, and consists of the following:

Group Tests:

Grade 1
Grades 2 through 12
Grades 6-8-10

Reading-Readiness Tests
Achievement Tests, the results of which are given and interpreted for students, and parents, and are used in the counseling sessions.
Intelligence Tests — indicative of subtle changes in development or retardation.

Individual Tests:

Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale
Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children
Stanford-Binet Intelligence Scale IM
Kuder Preference Record, Vocational, Form CH

Two recommendations, stemming from a true need, could be proposed . . . that each elementary school be assigned a guidance counselor, and that the high school guidance quarters be enlarged to include four offices, and a conference room.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN E. ADAMS
Director of Guidance

REPORT OF THE EVENING SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Evening School Classes for the year 1966.

Classes are held at the Memorial High School Tuesday and Wednesday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. for a period of twenty weeks beginning the first week of October and closing the last week of March.

There is an enrollment this year of 307 adults. Thirteen courses make up the Evening School program, which consists of Basic Clothing, Advanced Clothing, Tailoring, Basic and Advanced Decorated Wares, two Cake Decorating, two classes of Cabinet Making, and Basic Typing. The courses formerly held had to be dropped due to a lack of funds.

Registration for all courses is held each year at the Memorial High School, during the last week of September. The regular Evening School Program ends each year with the presentation of a fashion show and exhibit of the materials made by the members of the various Practical Arts classes.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD R. GOODROW
Director

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966

Appropriated		$2,720,732.00
Transferred at Special Town Meeting		16,117.78
Expended		2,671,240.54
Balance		$ 33,373.68

REIMBURSEMENTS AND INCOME

From fhe Commonwealth:		
School Aid (Chapter 70)	$412,230.29	
Transportation	110,240.00	
Special Education	35,137.50	
Youth Service Board	4,818.62	
Vocational Education	5,493.88	
Summer School Registration	3,399.00	
Rental, Industrial Arts, Miscellaneous	2,167.20	
Insurance Recovery	1,391.00	
Total Reimbursement 1966		$ 574,877.49

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Appropriation		$ 8,000.00
Expended		7,934.21
Balance		$ 65.79

FEDERAL AID

Balance, January 1, 1966 (P.L. 874)		$ 3.08
Received in 1966		58,435.00
Amount available in 1966		$ 58,438.08
Expended in 1966		35,387.63
Balance January 1, 1967		$ 23,050.45
Balance, January 1, 1966 (P.L. 864)		$ 4.18
Received in 1966		830.62
Amount available in 1966		$ 834.80
Expended in 1966		0.00
Balance, January 1, 1967		$ 834.80
Public Law 88-210 - Received in 1966		$ 3,897.00
Expended in 1966		3,883.75
Balance, January 1, 1967		$ 13.25
Received in 1966 - Public Law 89-10		$ 16,842.50
Expended in 1966		16,818.05
Balance, January 1, 1967		$ 24.45

TRUST FUNDS

Available 1966		$ 8,156.55
Expended 1966		5,444.78
Balance, January 1, 1967		$ 2,711.77

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966

Appropriation			$5,000.00
Expenses			
SALARIES:			
Director	$ 600.00		
Teachers	3,832.00		
Custodian	420.00		
Total Expended for Salaries		$4,852.00	
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES:			
Exhibit Materials and Expenses	$ 24.00		
Lumber for Shop	115.00		
Postage	5.00		
Total		144.00	
TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966			4,996.00
UNEXPENDED BALANCE			$ 4.00

Receipts		
STATE REIMBURSEMENT	$1,619.25	
REGISTRATION FEES	480.00	
PROJECTS WOODWORKING	98.50	
Total Receipts to Town Treasurer		$2,197.75

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD R. GOODROW
Director

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSES

Class Inspection	Exclusions Recommended
Impetigo	70
Conjunctivitis	48
Pediculosis	78
Ringworm	3
Dogbites	10
Suspected Contagion	57
Pupils sent home:	
Illness	2,829
Accidents	171
Pupils taken home:	
Illness	34
Accidents	27
First Aid	16,633
Pupils sent home:	
No certificates after contagious disease	56
Home Visits	35
Referred to Family Physician	198
Referred to School Physician	67
Sent to Hospital	12
Consultations with State Nursing Supervisor	2
Testing by Mrs. Harrington:	
Ears Tested	6,400
Retested	279
Eyes Tested	6,400
Retested	516

The nurses maintain an up-to-date, complete health record for each student with special reference to current illnesses, injuries and disabilities, as well as advising principals and teachers of pertinent information regarding these pupils.

Clinics are also prepared and organized, and doctors are assisted at these. Doctors are also assisted during physical exams, necessary immunizations. Follow-ups are done from the above and parents are notified of any abnormal findings.

Heights and weights are recorded for each student as are the results found for ear and eye examination given by the school technician, Mrs. Elizabeth Harrington. Notices are sent home to all who fail either the eye or ear examination and follow-ups on these failures are done by the school nurses.

Heads are checked periodically in all schools.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Superintendent, the School doctors and to the faculty for their cooperation through the school year.

Respectfully submitted,

RITA P. FREEMAN, R.N.
HELEN RYNNE, R.N.
EILEEN M. GRADY, R.N.
ELLEN H. KNOWLES, R.N.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DOCTORS

Pupils Examined in 1st, 4th, 7th and new pupils	2,969
Scoliosis	1
Enlarged Tonsils	129
Hydrocele	2
Pediculosis	59
Und. Testicle	10
Impetigo	4
Hernias	3
Abscessed Teeth	11
Carious Teeth	97
Heart Murmurs	15
Diptheria Inoculations	1,078
Emergency Visits to Office	4
Physicals for Physical Education and Sports	3,128

Respectfully submitted,

ORLAND S. MARSHALL, M.D.
S. G. HAJJAR, M.D. (R.F.)

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Number of Pupils Checked	7,140
Sickness	3,533
No Clothing	84
Missed Bus	812
Left Town	604
Left School	151
Working Without Certificate	12
Satisfactory Reasons	785
Unsatisfactory Reasons	574
Brought to School	410
Truants	730
Committed to Middlesex Training School	2
Referred to S.P.C.C.	2

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS L. SHAUGHNESSEY
Supervisor of Attendance

BILLERICA MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1966

Receipts

Appropriation	$ 19,124.00	
Basketball	137.50	
Cash on hand, January 1, 1966	3,329.41	
Football	3,791.60	
Other	93.60	
Total Receipts		$ 26,476.11

Expenditures

Clean and repair equipment	$ 738.80	
Custodians	232.00	
New Equipment		
Baseball	219.70	
Basketball	369.70	
Basketball (Girls)	70.95	
Hockey	2,687.68	
Field Hockey	320.17	
Football	3,834.75	
Softball (Girls)	144.65	
Cross County, Track	938.72	
Wrestling	2,116.90	
Miscellaneous	3,326.78	
Officials	2,925.00	
Police	326.00	
Ticket sellers and takers	394.00	
Transportation	2,589.85	
Total Expenditures		21,235.65
Total cash on hand, December 31, 1966		5,240.46

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Hayes
Faculty Manager

SCHOOL CAFETERIA

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR

ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966

Cash Balance	$ 30,942.49	
Milk and Cafeteria Sales	194,002.56	
Government Reimbursement	63,087.94	
Total Receipts		$ 288,032.99

Expenditures

Food and others	$ 156,255.77	
Equipment	3,800.00	
Payroll	91,326.67	
Total Expenditures		251,382.44
Cash Balance		$ 36,650,55
Estimated Unpaid Bills		28,736.69
Working Balance		$ .7,913.86

Jane Hallenborg,

Supervisor of Lunch Program

SCHOOL STAFF AND PUPIIL ENROLLMENT

In Service January 1967	Subject or Grade	Billerica Began Service	10-1-66 Enroll. ment
Frederick C. Riel	Superintendent of Schools	1958	
William H. Flaherty, Jr.	Assistant Superintendent	1964	
MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL			
J. David Nuttall	Principal	1953	
Helen E. Adams	Head of Guidance Dept.	1936	Gr. 9-495
William E. Alcott	Biology, Floormaster	1960	10-390
Dolores M. Ahern	German, World History	1964	11-296
William V. Archambault	Vice Principal	1964	12-294
Edward C. Astrachan	Guidance	1967	——
E. Ruth Belcher	French	1927	1475
Kathleen Breen	English	1966	
Thelma L. Brown	Home Economics	1945	
Daniel T. Buckley, Jr.	Developmental Reading	1961	
Giorgio V. Carlino	Spanish	1964	
Margaret M. Cassin	English	1954	
Donald R. Clancy	Chemistry, Physics	1955	
Marjorie F. Cooney	Booking	1958	
Palmer G. Cox	Math	1964	
Peter J. Danas	Math	1960	
Robert A. Finnegan	U.S. History, Civics	1962	
Ernest L. Freeman	Civics	1965	
Peter G. Gabriel	Head of Science Dept.	1961	
Robert M. Gill	Head of Ind. Arts Dept.	1931	
Joseph F. Giunta	Office Practice, Type.	1956	
Howard R. Goodrow	Type., World History	1965	
George S. Gracie	Phys. Ed. Coordinator	1955	
George H. Guenard	Phys. Science	1961	
James F. Hanley	World History, Latin	1966	
John E. Hayes	English	1958	
Barbara L. Hood	Phys. Ed.	1953	
Gertrude Houghton	Spanish, Latin	1964	
Gerald E. Hunt	Automotive	1957	
Carl G. Jahnle	English	1965	
Isabel M. Jahnle	Sten., Sec. Prac., Eng.	1961	
Edwin G. Kagan	Math	1960	
Rudolph L. Laine	Phys. Sc., Math	1966	
Charles Lampson	P.A.D.	1941	
Diane H. Lewis	Biology	1966	
Marco L. Marchi	Art	1960	
Philip F. Markey	Science	1966	
Peter R. Markham	Math	1966	
Francis M. Martin	Latin	1961	
Paula McCormack	English	1966	
Joan L. McDuffie	Ancient History	1960	
Frances M. McGee	U.S. History	1954	

Donna McKinley	English	1966	
Ora K. McLaughlin	Head of Math Department	1954	
Arthur W. Merrifield	Head of Foreign Lang. Dept.	1950	
Louise B. Messer	Head of Commercial Dept.	1955	
David D. Moore	Math	1966	
Robert G. Mullarky	Guidance	1964	
Betsy S. Murray	Art	1966	
Richard L. Myles	Math, Floormaster	1959	
John D. O'Brien	Vice Principal	1952	
Robert W. Papera	Mechanical Drawing	1966	
Geraldine A. Penney	Sten., Type., Bus.	1965	
Jean P. Perron	Business, Floormaster	1962	
Raoul H. Piche, Jr.	Anc., Hist., Eng.	1964	
Arthur Podaras	Head of English Department	1962	
Gail Pruter	Business	1966	
Bernard A. Ralph	Phys. Ed.	1966	
Dorothy A. Richardson	Bus. Arith.	1939	
John J. Riley	English	1966	
James J. Roach	Science, Arith.	1966	
Roger Samson	Machine Shop	1957	
Elma J. Sarkisian	Social Studies	1953	
Mary C. Saunders	English, French	1949	
Sidney S. Sher	Head of Social Studies Dept.	1954	
David R. Snelson	English	1966	
Ann M. Splaine	U.S.History	1957	
Esther E. Splaine	Bookkeeping	1955	
Peter K. Swett	Science	1967	
Paul L. Whitley	Biology	1966	
Alfred E. Wilson	Business	1963	
Eunice Wilson	Guidance	1956	
Rose J. Winters	Phys. Ed.	1966	
John E. Young, Jr.	English	1966	
Susan Zemelman	English	1966	

HOWE JR. HIGH

Royal S. Adams	Principal	1952	
Charles L. Adams	Science	1963	Gr. 7-553
Mitchell L. Afrow	Developmental Reading	1965	Gr. 8-489
Thomas J. Agathopoulos	Shop	1963	Sp.Cl.-58
Brenda Ann Allen	French	1966	——
Ralph H. Bibeau	Latin, English	1964	1100
J. Raymond Brown	Science	1957	
Andrew B. Brusko	Social Studies	1956	
Claire Chillemi	Home Economics	1966	
Madalyn J. Condon	English, Asst. Dept. Head	1951	
Lillian P. Dalton	Science	1961	
Robert Donnelly, Jr.	Shop	1966	
Richard A. Donovan	Science	1961	
Richard E. Durgin	English	1964	
Donald D. Fagan	Math	1966	
Sheila E. Fagan	Math, Science	1966	

William J. Flynn	English	1965	
Donald R. Fraser	Science, Asst. Dept. Head	1955	
Leonard J. Gebhard	Social Studies	1966	
Roland H. Guthrie, Jr.	Phys. Ed.	1965	
Barbara A. Hehir	Art	1965	
Phyllis V. Homer	English	1966	
Raymond D. Homola	Science	1964	
Stanley C. Jekanoski, Jr.	Guidance	1962	
Arthur M. Johansen	Trainable Class	1963	
Richard M. Loranger	Vice Principal	1956	
Peter M. Maguire	Social Studies	1966	
Ralph Mahairas	Math	1966	
Mary A. Marrone	English	1964	
Mary M. Moran	Sup. of Special Classes	1949	
Rodney J. Morin	Math	1965	
David F. Morrissey	Librarian	1966	
Paula J. Olsen	Home Economics	1965	
Stephen V. Panos	Social Studies, Asst. Dept. Head	1956	
Gerard A. Perry	Social Studies	1965	
Suzan Redgate	Phys. Ed.	1966	
Ruth E. Renwick	Special Class	1962	
Mollie A. Rubenstein	Math	1966	
Charles S. Santagati, Jr.	Music	1961	
Joseph A. Sarno	Guidance	1960	
Philip A. Sartorelli	Math, Science	1965	
Ann F. Sullivan	Social Studies	1961	
Maureen Sullivan	Art	1962	
Maria Trombly	Special Class	1962	
Hazel E. Vernaglia	Special Class	1966	
Herbert L. Vrettos	Math	1965	
Cynda Wade	English, Social Studies	1966	
A. Eleanor Wain	Math, Asst. Dept. Head	1928	
Thomas J. Walsh	English	1960	
HOWE JR. HIGH-Elem.			
Andrew A. Mountain	Principal, Grade 6	1962	36
Anthony J. Damiano	Grade 6	1966	35
William P. Downing	Grade 6	1966	33
Patricia E. O'Neil	Grade 6	1964	33
Edward Sorenson	Grade 6	1953	33
Nora E. Wold	Grade 6	1965	30
			200
POLLARD SCHOOL			
Neil F. Restani	Principal, Grade 5	1961	32
Sally J. Burke	Grade 5	1958	32
Ruth A. Gordon	Grade 4	1965	32
Margaret R. Harding	Grade 4	1966	32
Suzanne J. Kalber	Grade 4	1966	33
Darleen P. Wiliams	Grade 5	1965	32
			193

TALBOT SCHOOL

Ida M. Tobey	Principal	1950	
Ruth H. Benstead	Grade 3	1955	32
Veronica M. Berry	Grade 3	1948	31
Evelyna A. Birtwell	Grade 1	1948	34
Catherine E. Burke	Grade 3, Asst. Prin.	1949	31
Marianne Cahill	Grade 2	1964	33
Alice M. Condon	Grade 2	1926	35
Patricia Driscoll	Grade 2	1966	33
Carolyn M. Fowler	Grade 1	1966	33
Anna M. Hopkins	Grade 2	1955	34
Helen R. Lyons	Grade 1	1926	34
Mary H. McGowan	Grade 3	1954	31
Katherine M. McSweeney	Grade 4	1955	25
Eileen T. Sheehan	Grade 1	1963	34
			420

PARKER SCHOOL

Mary E. Gill	Principal	1922	
Paula Baker	Grade 3	1966	38
Grace Beaton	Grade 5	1965	35
Mildred B. Bohannon	Grade 2	1952	31
Ruth R. Brodeaur	Grade 3	1950	37
Margaret E. Callahan	Grade 2	1961	29
Denise Fitzpatrick	Grade 1	1962	37
Mary E. Foley	Grade 1	1964	35
Grace G. Gallagher	Grade 3	1956	38
Charles P. Gourlis	Grade 5	1966	34
Eleanor M. Hadley	Grade 3	1949	37
Margaret M. Kennedy	Grade 4	1949	35
Virginia A. Laramee	Grade 1	1966	35
Albert C. Lefebvre	Grade 5	1965	35
Maureen C. McNiff	Grade 4	1965	35
Anna M. Mikkola	Grade 4	1953	34
Marilyn Mincey	Grade 5	1966	34
Eleanor A. Murphy	Grade 2	1946	30
Beverly Ohanian	Grade 1	1965	37
Barbara Ann Taranto	Grade 4	1965	34
Helen F. Wesel	Grade 1	1963	34
Ruth G. Westcott	Grade 2	1928	31
Jane M. Zinober	Grade 2	1966	30
			755

KENNEDY SCHOOL

Catherine L. Torre	Principal	1951	
Patricia Bennett	Grade 6	1966	32
Mary A. Caldicott	Grade 3	1965	35
Esther F. Charron	Grade 4	1961	34
Eleanor R. Clement	Grade 1	1955	33
Pauline B. Cole	Grade 1	1962	35
Mary L. Danahy	Grade 4	1954	31

Susan DiNunzio	Grade 3	1967	35
Marguerite Donovan	Grade 5	1966	30
Grace L. Finnegan	Grade 6	1927	32
Domenica A. Fiumara	Grade 2	1965	30
Angela Gianourakos	Grade 4	1965	33
Barbara K. Gray	Grade 1	1965	35
Charles W. Ingalls	Grade 6	1966	33
Catherine D. Lind	Grade 5	1964	31
Lucille R. Manoli	Grade 4	1962	34
Margaret I. Mason	Grade 3	1942	35
Carolyn M. Wicher	Grade 2	1966	31
Louise M. McDonald	Grade 2	1965	29
Priscilla A. Morrison	Grade 1	1965	35
Sheila T. Murphy	Grade 5	1955	31
Mary Ellen Nessler	Grade 1	1966	35
Kathleen T. Roche	Grade 2	1964	30
Frances A. Savage	Grade 5	1960	32
Mary Jean Wilson	Grade 2	1965	29
Xandra Winnis	Grade 3	1967	34
			814

DITSON SCHOOL

Francis X. Callahan	Principal	1960	
Margie Brazile	Grade 4	1962	34
Margaret Clune	Grade 4	1966	34
Mary F. Fahey	Grade 1	1960	34
Beverly Feinberg	Grade 3	1966	29
Eldora B. Ferren	Grade 1	1952	32
Patricia M. Gill	Grade 5	1964	32
Ann M. Hentz	Grade 3	1960	29
Regina M. Karnilla	Grade 6	1950	34
Deborah K. Leith	Grade 2	1966	31
Virginia Mayo	Grade 6	1954	35
Teresa McGrath	Grade 3	1964	29
Paula Perry	Grade 3	1961	28
Beatrice F. Phillips	Grade 2	1955	31
Margaret R. Rabinovitz	Grade 1	1963	34
Mary V. Ramsey	Grade 2	1950	31
George A. Roach, Jr.	Grade 5	1962	33
Margaret Rupp	Grade 4	1957	34
Elaine D. Shea	Grade 1	1962	33
Carol R. Stocks	Grade 2	1963	31
Milda M. Upley	Grade 5	1937	32
			640

VINING SCHOOL

K. Shirley Cowdrey	Principal	1947	
Mabel B. Angell	Grade 4	1959	31
Mary Janet Collins	Grade 5	1964	34
Dorothy G. Conn	Grade 3	1955	33
Paula M. Craven	Grade 2	1965	38

Nancy S. Deachman	Grade 4	1964	33
Roberta M. DeGrinney	Grade 1	1965	32
Phyllis Drescher	Grade 4	1966	31
Joan S. Finnegan	Grade 3	1962	32
Joseph T. Foley	Grade 6	1964	35
Linda A. Gilfillan	Grade 3	1965	32
Geraldine M. Greene	Grade 6	1965	32
Frank P. Horton	Grade 6	1961	35
Valerie Illingworth	Grade 2	1966	38
Mary P. Keaney	Grade 1	1953	32
Patricia E. Parks	Grade 2	1966	37
Barbara Ann Sides	Grade 1	1965	32
Nancy L. Smith	Grade 1	1962	32
Celeste Stuart	Grade 5, Asst. Prin.	1960	33
			602

DUTILE SCHOOL

Elizabeth F. McCarthy	Principal	1940	
Kathleen Beutler	Grade 1	1966	32
Catherine R. Bogert	Grade 1	1964	32
Marguerite D. Buttrick	Grade 1	1966	30
Linda K. Collins	Grade 2	1966	34
Alice E. Fleming	Grade 6	1963	26
Philip B. Frank	Grade 4	1963	34
M. Patricia Gavel	Grade 4	1964	32
Pamela B. Giller	Grade 3	1965	35
Janet D. Herterick	Grade 3	1964	34
Alice Kefalas	Grade 2	1966	33
Louise S. Ladd	Grade 5	1966	30
Anthony G. LaRosa	Grade 6	1964	26
Esther L. Levesque	Grade 6	1958	27
Judith Madden	Grade 5	1966	32
Jane McCaffrey	Grade 1	1966	32
Muriel Rabinowitz	Grade 2	1963	26
Mary M. L. Sampson	Grade 3	1964	35
Sebastian Sicari	Grade 5	1960	31
Anne Ventola	Grade 4	1963	33
Marie Zamanakos	Grade 2	1964	33
			627
		TOTAL	6826

SPECIAL TEACHERS

Elizabeth L. Johnson	Music Coordinator	1951
Lillian W. Roux	Art Supervisor	1937
Charles L. Wilcox	School Psychologist	1964
George F. Hickey, Jr.	Director of Libraries	1966
Anita M. Ciarfella	Speech Hearing Therapist	1965
Joseph J. DeLuca, Jr.	Instrumental Music	1965
Marguerite DelVisco	Art	1966
John J. DiGloria	Instrumental Music	1960
Jane A. Foley	Phys. Ed.	1960

Edward D. James	Phys. Ed.	1960
Harriet B. Keefe	Remedial Reading	1965
David Kontoff	Instrumental Music	1966
Judith Lee	Phys. Ed.	1966
Estafaye Levine	Phys. Ed.	1966
Alma M. MacDonald	Remedial Reading	1965
Elsie M. Miller	Remedial Reading	1956
Ronald L. Morell	Music	1966
Emilee J. Pappazisis	Music	1966
Catherine M. Regan	Remedial Reading	1959
Diana S. Rizzo	Art	1965
Sheila Savitsky	Speech Hearing Therapist	1959
Thomas J. Sheehan	Phys. Ed.	1965
Shirley A. Smith	Music	1965

Clerks

Helen W. Barton	Parker School	1957
Mary F. Bourque	Kennedy School	1966
Marjorie F. Currie	High School	1951
Susan E. Danehy	Howe Jr. High	1964
Helen V. Dolan	High School Library	1966
Beatrice L. Dole	Administration Building	1930
Phyllis R. Fraza	Howe Jr. High	1955
Mary Guillemette	Dutile	1955
Ann T. Irving	Talbot	1964
Lucy A. Lyons	Administration Building	1955
Dorothy McDewell	Ditson	1965
Genevieve Mount	High School Guidance Office	1957
Rita Smith	Administration Building	1966
Hazel Tilton	Vining	1966
Elizabeth Walsh	High School	1957

Data Process Director

Joseph J. Danahy	High School	1966

School Nurses and Physicians

Rita P. Freeman	1947
Eileen M. Grady	1965
Helen K. Rynne	1954
Ellen H. Knowles	1966
Dr. S. Gunther Hajjar	
Dr. Orland S. Marshall	

Attendance Officer

F. Lester Shaughnessey	1947

Audio Visual Technician

Elizabeth Harrington	1956

Matrons

Bernice L. Plumley	High School	1955
Dorothy A. McKenna	Howe Jr. High	1965
Ruth Aliot	High School	1960

Custodians and Maintenance

Paul J. Allard	Talbot	1953
James R. Campbell	Vining	1963
Anthony E. Capaldo	Kennedy, Talbot	1966
Louis Ciccotelli, Jr.	Maintenance	1965
Clement J. Cote	Dutile	1957
Robert D. Crockett	Kennedy	1965
Lewis M. Daniels	Pollard	1950
William F. Doherty	Parker	1965
Milton A. Farrell	Ditson	1963
Raymond A. Fraza	High School	1948
Maurice H. Grady	Maintenance Foreman	1947
Charles T. Gay	High, Administration Bldg.	1966
Robert P. Granfield	Parker	1964
John P. Grifin	Dutile	1955
Donald W. Hamilton	Howe Jr. High	1961
Joseph G. Joncas, Jr.	Howe Jr. High	1963
Lawn A. Kiley	Maintenance	1957
Walter E. Larson	Ditson	1957
John Mangiasi	Senior Building Custodian	1950
John McLaughlin	Vining	1955
Daniel F. McLaughlin	High	1964
Allen J. Metivier	Maintenance	1953
Fred L. Morgan	Howe Jr. High	1951
Thomas J. Mulligan	High School	1953
Victor Terrazzano	High School	1953
Frank C. Theodoropoulos	Floater	1966
George Tribuna	High School	1955
Merle B. True	Howe Jr. High	1964
Harold A. Swift	Maintenance	1965
George J. Young	Kennedy	1964

Cafeteria Manager

Jane Hallenborg	Office-High School	1951

Cafeteria Workers

Lillian Rotellini	High School	1955
Bertha MacDonald	High School	1955
Mary Kelley	High School	1955
Marion Murphy	High School	1956
Virginia Paavola	High School	1963
Everlena Stuart	High School	1960
Wanda Hallenborg	High School	1965
Alice Dickie	High School	1965
Aretta Hartshorn	High School	1963
Angelina Gallagher	High School	1966
Josephine Reslow	Howe Junior High	1954
Amelia McLaughlin	Howe Junior High	1959
Mary McNulty	Howe Junior High	1963
Mary Whelan	Howe Junior High	1963
Adeline Taylor	Howe Junior High	1965

Catherine Mahoney	Howe Junior High	1966
Kathryn Strom	Howe Junior High	1957
Gertrude Gervais	Howe Junior High	1966
Louise Newcomb	Parker School	1957
Mary Reynolds	Parker School	1955
Evelyn Cooke	Parker School	1965
Angie Piacenza	Parker School	1966
Ruth Virgin	Parker School	1966
Marie Ransom	Vining School	1955
Alice Corrieri	Vining School	1961
Ruth Melendy	Vining School	1963
Doris Ducette	Vining School	1966
Grace Mangiasi	Vining School	1955
Mary McLaughlin	Ditson School	1951
Anna Padula	Ditson School	1959
Louise Callahan	Ditson School	1963
Lillie Scott	Ditson School	1965
Mary P. Granfield	Dutile School	1955
Lillian Mucci	Dutile School	1965
Esther Walsh	Dutile School	1965
Rita Granfield	Dutile School	1966
Gladys Rock	Dutile School	1965
Julia Kerivan	Kennedy School	1964
Catherine Querze	Kennedy School	1966
Rita Lohnes	Kennedy School	1966
Margaret Young	Kennedy School	1966
Audrey Zediana	Kennedy School	1966
Isabelle Joyce	Kennedy School	1966
Eileen Ryan	Talbot School	1966
Dorothy LeLacheur	Talbot School	1966
Ida Clark	Talbot School	1966
Frances Malandrino	Talbot School	1961

Traffic Officers

Ronald Hamilton
Elmer Perry
Frank Bristol
William McNulty, Sr.
Archibald G. March
John Tremblay
Lloyd Crandall, Sr.
Edward F. Finn

ANNUAL REPORT

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY REGIONAL

VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966

On November 16, 1965, the Shawsheen Valley Regional Vocational/ Technical School District was established by an affirmative vote of the five (5) towns, as verified by the Town Clerk of each respective town. All Regional School Committee members were properly appointed by November 26, 1965, and were sworn into office. The membership and terms of office were as follows:

Name of Member	Term Expires
BEDFORD	
Mr. Joseph Rogers	1966
Mr. Fred Keough	1968
BILLERICA	
Mr. George Menezes	1966
Mr. John Glavin	1967
BURLINGTON	
Mr. James Cipoletta	1966
Mr. Walace Haigh	1967
TEWKSBURY	
Mrs. Anthony Anderson	1967
Mr. William Bullen	1968
WILMINGTON	
Mr. Richard Pelletier	1967
Mr. Richard Keane	1968

Our first meeting was held in the School Administration Building, Billerica, Massachusetts. Mr. Richard Keane was elected Chairman. Mr. John Glavin was elected Vice-Chairman and Mr. Wallace Haigh was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

In December of 1965, the Committee voted that the official name of the district shall be the "Shawsheen Valley Regional Vocational/ Technical School District." At this time, also, the Committee felt that it was essential to establish two advisory committees to assist the District Committee in planning for the school. The school superintendents of the five member towns were appointed to an educational advisory committee and the Chairman, or his delegate, of each member towns' Finance Committee was appointed to a financial advisory committee.

Following the March Annual Town Elections, the Committee welcomed the first three members to be elected by their towns to serve for three years on the Committee: Mr. Cipoletta - Burlington, Mr. Rogers - Bedford, and Mr. McCue from Billerica.

As required in the agreements under which the Regional School District operates, elections were held in early April to elect officers for 1966. All incumbent officers were reelected. By-Laws were adopted governing the procedure and conduct of affairs of the District Committee.

A number of banking institutions were considered for selection as the District's Fiscal Agent. The field was narrowed to five banks, whose representatives were invited to appear before the committee. After careful consideration, the New England Merchants National Bank was selected.

The law firm of Ropes and Gray of Boston was retained as Bond Counsel. Later, this firm was also selected as Legal Counsel to the District.

Nine architectual firms were interviewed and the firm of Korslund, LeNormand & Quann, Inc. was selected as the architect for the proposed school. This firm has designed and built more Regional Vocational/ Technical Schools in Massachusetts than any other architect.

Mr. Richard Pelletier of Wilmington resigned in June, and the vacancy was filled by the appointment of Mr. Frank McLean.

The Committee considered 20 applications for the position of Superintendent-Director. Written examinations were conducted by the State Department of Education, Division of Vocational Education. Sixteen qualified candidates were personally interviewed by members of a Selection Subcommittee. The Committee felt strongly that the Superintendent-Director represents an important voice in planning for the new School. Therefore, on the recommendation of the Subcommittee, the full Committee interviewed seven prime candidates.

After careful study of qualifications and thorough investigation of the leading candidates, Mr. Benjamin Wolk was engaged for the position. He is a graduate of Boston Trade High School, the Lowell Institute School at MIT, has a B.S. in Vocational Education from Mass. State College at Fitchburg, and a M. of Ed. from Boston University. He has worked in the field of welding and metal fabrication. Mr. Wolk has 20 years of experience as a shop and related subject instructor. He was also in the field of guidance and administration for six years.

A Site Subcommittee considered a number of areas that might be suitable for the location of the regional school. Final consideration was given to three possible sites. These sites were visited by the architect, the State District Sanitary Engineer and a representative of the Mass. School Building Assistance Commission. Tentative approval was given two of the sites as being suitable for the school. The Committee has tentatively selected a site which is central to the district and located on Cook Street in Billerica.

The District Committee voted authorization to incur debt in the amount of $300,000.00 The five member towns were officially notified of this action. None of the towns disapproved of this authorization, and the Massachusetts Emergency Finance Board has since approved. This money will be borrowed as needed to finance the acquisition of land, to pay for achitects' fees, engineering, and other related planning costs.

The official seal for the School District was designed by Mr. James Cipoletta and incorporated into an embossing seal for use on official documents.

The Committee voted an operating budget of $45,000 for the year 1967. Appendix A shows the District Treasurer's report through December 31, 1966. The amount to be raised by taxation is $7,079.71 apportioned among the five member towns as shown in Appendix B.

During 1967, the Committee will finalize the educational specifications. The architect will prepare working drawings and construction should be under way with a target date for completion of July 1969.

All meetings of the Shawsheen Valley Regional Vocational/Technical School District Committee are open to the public. All interested citizens are invited to attend. Regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in the District's new office at 240 Cambridge Street, Burlington.

The Committee is appreciative of the assistance received from the members of the School departments in all five towns, as well as from the many other people interested in this project.

We are especially indebted to the Billerica School Committee for allowing us the use of their meeting facilities for the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Bedford
Mr. Fred Keough
Mr. Joseph Rogers

Billerica
Mr. John Glavin, Vice-Chairman
Mr. Everett McCue

Burlington
Mr. James Cipoletta
Mr. Wallace Haigh, Secretary-Treasurer

Tewksbury
Mrs. Anthony Anderson
Mr. William Bullen

Wilmington
Mr. Richard Keane, Chairman
Mr. Frank McLlean

APPENDIX A

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Treasurer's Report through December 31, 1966

A. INCOME

Bedford	$ 4,880.36	
Billerica	10,497.96	
Burlington	9,200.04	
Tewksbury	8,842.52	
Wilmington	7,079.12	
Total Income		$40,500.00

State Reimbursement for Director's Salary	7,000.00	
Total Income		$47,500.00

B. GENERAL CONTROL EXPENSES

	Expended thru 12/31/66	Encumbered
1. Salaries		
Clerk	$ 215.00	
Treasurer	0.00	
Legal Counsel	214.09	
Consultant	360.00	
Subtotal	$ 789.09	
2. General		
Telephone	$ 62.25	
Supplies, Postage and Stationery	153.46	
Advertisement	0.00	
Publications	14.32	
Travel — Local	62.53	
Out of State	0.00	
Subtotal	$ 292.56	

C. SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

1. Salaries			
Director	$ 4,262.15		
Clerk	334.48		
Subtotal	$ 4,596.63		
2. Non-Salary Accounts			
Rent	$ 300.00		
Travel	377.80		
Supplies	175.81		
Telephone and Elect.	140.59		
Equipment	871.40	$ 646.90	
Social Security and Pensions	1,060.93		
Interest	0.00		
Miscellaneous	288.16		
Subtotal	$ 3,214.69	$ 646.90	
TOTALS	$ 8,892.97		
TOTAL FUNDS REMAINING			$37,960.13

APPENDIX B

BUDGET BREAKDOWN BY TOWN

October 1966

	Enrollment	Percent	Town Shares
Bedford	3,420	12.7412%	$ 902.04
Billerica	7,008	26.1083%	1,848.39
Burlington	5,959	22.2003%	1,571.72
Tewksbury	5,830	21.7179%	1,537.69
Wilmington	4,625	17.2305%	1,219.87
	26,842	100.0000%	$7,079.71

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR

This report covers a 4½ month period starting August 15, 1966 at which time I was appointed as Superintendent-Director. The initial phase of the program was both informational and exploratory. The general objective was to establish the curriculum for the Regional Vocational/Technical School. Meetings were held in the beginning of the school year with the school superintendents of the five towns as well as with the guidance counselors. Discussions were concerned with recommendations as to how this school could meet the needs of the students not going to college. In the meantime, an intensive occupational study was made to determine the present and future skill needs of industries in the region, and in the general area. In concluding the first phase of the program, meetings were again held at which time school superintendents, guidance counselors, and representatives of the State Department of Vocational Education were invited to comment on the proposed curriculum and the enrollment policies to be followed. In the near future, the curriculum will be established and educational specifications will be formulated.

I anticipate that some of the basic features of the vocational education program will include the following:

ADMISSION:

Students will be accepted on the basis of their previous record, recommendations of the respective guidance counselors, and a personal interview. In some areas, we may find it necessary to give aptitude tests to determine if the applicant is suited for a particular type of training.

MULTI-LEVEL PROGRAM:

Students would be classed in three general areas in accordance with their ability:

A. Trade Technician: Students with a high level of ability would fall into this category. We anticipate that they would have, in addition

to their shop work, an academic program which would prepare them for jobs in industry as technicians, or for higher education at schools such as technical institutes, junior colleges, etc.

B. Trade Mechanic: Students in this area would be of average ability, and would be given shop experience and academic training to qualify them for jobs in industry.

C. Basic Mechanic: This would be for those students who have limited academic ability, but have an interest and the desire to acquire a skill. These students would be given the necessary academic studies that are within their capabilities. They would have an opportunity in shop to progress and develop a skill according to their capacity.

EXPLORATORY:

Students accepted in Grade 9 at this school would go through an Exploratory Program. In the course of the school year, they would have experience in several different training areas. In addition, they would be given the opportunity to learn about and see the other courses in operation and realize the skills needed in each. At the end of the school year, Grade 9 students would be required to make a choice of the particular type of training which they wish to take. We hope to coordinate our educational program with that given in the member towns so that a student who is not suited for this type of training could transfer back to his town high school and be able to continue his academic work there. In setting up the trade-mechanical courses, we will endeavor to establish core areas of training which will permit us flexibility as far as training for specific skills to meet the changing needs of industry.

Since 50% of the school time will be devoted to shop or laboratory work, the program will alternate so that the students would have a week of shop and alternate weeks in academic studies.

Shop training would be the closest to the ideal concept of education wherein a student could progress individually in accordance with his or her ability. Having mastered the basic fundamentals of shop work, the student would do a series of jobs each requiring more skill than the previous. In this way, the student would be trained individually to the limit of his or her ability.

Until the school building is completed, we are operating from an office at 240 Cambridge Street, Burlington.

It is very encouraging to see the cooperation and sincerity of the many people who have been helpful in this vocational educational project. It has been a pleasure to work with the members of the Regional School Committee, and the personnel of the schools in the region.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN WOLK
Superintendent-Director

WARRANT
FOR
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
BILLERICA, MASSACHUSETTS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.
To Any Constable in the Town of Billerica

Greeting.

You are hereby authorized and required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Billerica, qualified by law to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Parker School, Billerica Center; Talbot School, North Billerica; Ditson School, Pinehurst; Eugene C. Vining School, Nuttings Lake; John F. Kennedy School, East Billerica and the Frederick J. Dutile School, West Billerica, at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, March 4, 1967, to bring in their votes on one ballot for the following Town Officers:

One member of the Board of Selectmen, One Principal Assessor, One member of the Board of Health, One member of the Board of Public Welfare, One member of the School Committee, One member of the Cemetery Commission, One member of the Regional Vocational School District Committee all for three years; One Moderator and Two Constables all for one year; One member of the Planning Board; One member of the Billerica Housing Authority all for five years; One member of the Billerica Housing Authority for an unexpired term of two years; and Nine members of the Charter Commission.

Also for the election of twelve (12) Town Meeting Members for Precinct One; Seventeen (17) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Two; Fifteen (15) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Three; Twelve (12) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Four; Eleven (11) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Five; Seventeen (17) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Six all for three years.

One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of one year for Precinct One; One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of one year and Four (4) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Two; Three (3) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of one year and One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Three; One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of one year for Precinct Five; and Two (2) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Six.

Also to vote on the following question: "Shall a Commission be elected to form a Charter for the Town of Billerica?" (Yes) (No)

Polls will close at 8:00 P.M.

And you are further required to notify and warn the inhabitants and Town Meeting Members qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the Billerica Memorial High School, Saturday, March 11, 1967, at 10:00 A.M., then and there to vote on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To choose one member of the Bowers Fund Commission for a term of five years.

ARTICLE 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers.

ARTICLE 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers and Committees heretofore appointed.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law of the Town by adopting the following Wage, Salary and Hour Schedule:

Part A — Section 4(b)

Wage, Salary and Hour Schedule effective April 1, 1967.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

	Position		Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
1	Town Eng. & P.W. Admin.	Yr.	$12,840.00	$13,278.70	$13,717.40	
		wk.	246.92	255.35	263.79	
1	Princ. Clk. & Off. Mgr.	Yr.	$ 6,224.09	$ 6,442,62	$ 6,666,35	
		wk.	119.69	123.89	128.19	
2	Billing Machine Op.	Yr.	$ 3,644.16	$ 3,781.44	$ 3,897.92	40
		wk.	70.08	72.72	74.96	
		hr.	1.752	1.818	1.874	
	Sr. Clk. (Water Collector)	Yr.			$ 1,600.00	P.T.
1	Water & Sewer Supt.	Yr.	$ 7,230.78	$ 7,451.30	$ 7,712.29	
		wk.	139.05	143.29	148.31	
1	Highway Supt.	Yr.	$ 7,008.79	$ 7,241.06	$ 7,488.19	
		wk.	134.78	139.25	144.00	
1	Cemetery Supt.	Yr.	$ 6,663.40	$ 7,003.95	$ 7,242.34	
		wk.	128.14	134.69	139.27	
1	Tree Warden, Park and Moth Supt.	Yr.	$ 6,565.79	$ 6,796.74	$ 7,031.56	
		wk.	126.26	130.70	135.22	
1	Chemist	Yr.	$ 6,266.37	$ 6,579.41	$ 6,706.55	
		wk.	120.50	126.52	128.97	
2	Sewerage Plant Op.	Yr.	$ 5,999.24	$ 6,177.60	$ 6,376.76	44
		wk.	115.37	118.80	122.63	
		hr.	2.622	2.70	2.787	
2	Filter Op. (Chief)	Yr.	$ 6,848.44	$ 7,096.44	$ 7,368.40	48
		wk.	131.72	136.47	141.70	
		hr.	2.765	2.843	2.953	
2	Filter Op. (Asst.)	Yr.	$ 6,626.88	$ 6,709.56	$ 6,819.28	48
		wk.	127.44	129.03	131.14	
		hr.	2.655	2.688	2.732	
2	Filter Operator	Yr.	$ 6,187.48	$ 6,379.88	$ 6,599.32	48
		wk.	118.99	122.69	126.91	
		hr.	2.479	2.556	2.644	
2	Foreman (All Depts.)	Yr.	$ 6,373.12	$ 6,622.72	$ 6,853.60	40

		wk.	122.56	127.36	131.80	
		hr.	3.064	3.184	3.295	
2	Spec. Hvy. Mtr. Equip. Op.	Yr.	$ 6,258.72	$ 6,441.78	$ 6,691.36	40
	(Grader Operator)	wk.	120.36	123.88	128.68	
		hr.	3.009	3.097	3.217	
2	Diesel & Motor Equip.	Yr.	$ 5,753.28	$ 6,073.60	$ 6,371.04	40
	Repairman and Welder	wk.	110.64	116.80	122.52	
		hr.	2.765	2.92	3.063	
2	Hvy. Mtr. Eq. Op. - Spec.	Yr.	$ 5,455.84	$ 5,636.80	$ 5,821.92	40
	Mtr. Eq. Op. (All Depts.)	wk.	104.92	108.40	111.96	
	Hvy. Mtr. Eq. Op. "	hr.	2.623	2.71	2.799	
2	Tree Climber	Yr.	$ 5,408.00	$ 5,570.24	$ 5,753.28	40
		wk.	104.00	107.12	110.64	
		hr.	2.60	2.678	2.766	
2	Meter Repairman	Yr.	$ 5,044.00	$ 5,224.96	$ 5,385.12	40
		wk.	97.00	100.48	103.56	
		hr.	2.425	2.512	2.589	
2	Spec. Mtr. Equip. Op.					
	and Lab.	Yr.	$ 5,064.80	$ 5,156.32	$ 5,224.96	40
	(All Departments)	wk.	97.40	99.16	100.48	
	Mtr. Equip. Op. and Lab.					
	(All Departments)	hr.	2.435	2.479	2.512	
	P. W. Maint. Man (All Depts.)					40
	Carpenter-Laborer (All Depts.)					40
	Meter Reader (All Depts.)					40
2	Laborer (All Depts.)	Yr.	$ 4,638.40	$ 4,790.24	$ 4,950.40	40
		wk.	89.00	92.12	95.40	
		hr.	2.225	2.303	2.38	

PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

	Position		Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
1	Fire Chief	Yr.	$ 9,037.22		$ 9,478.06	
	Police Chief	wk.	173.79		181.27	
1	Asst. Fire Chief	Yr.	$ 8,375.96		$ 8,816.80	
		wk.	161.07		169.55	
1	Capt. (Fire Dept.)	Yr.	$ 7,384.07	$ 7,824.91	$ 8,155.54	48
	Sgt. (Police Dept.)	wk.	142.00	150.47	156.83	40
	Sgt. Insp.		" plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.			40
	Fireman Mechanic		" plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.			48
1	Firefighter	Yr.	$ 6,061.55	$ 6,502.39	$ 6,833.02	48
	Patrolman	wk.	116.56	125.04	131.40	
	Patrolman Inspector		" plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.			40
	Fingerprinter-Photog.		" plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.			40
2	Jr. Buildg. Custodian	Yr.	$ 5,570.68	$ 6,005.78	$ 6,455.35	40
	and Maint. Man	wk.	107.12	115.49	124.14	
	Patrolman Perm.-Intermit.	hr.			$ 2.755	P.T.
	Police Matron					P.T.
	Sr. Clerk Steno.	hr.			$ 2.061	P.T.
	Call Fireman	hr.			$ 2.57	P.T.

TOWN HALL

	Position		Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
1	Building Inspector	Yr.	$ 7,053.44	$ 7,494.28	$ 7,935.12	
		wk.	135.64	144.12	152.59	
	Bldg. Insp. Perm.-Intermit.	hr.			2.85	P.T.
1	Dir. Public Health	Yr.	$ 7,053.44	$ 7,494.28	$ 7,935.12	
		wk.	135.64	144.12	152.59	
1	Accountant	Yr.	$ 7,053.44	$ 7,494.28	$ 7,935.12	
		wk.	135.64	144.12	152.59	
1	Gas and Plumbing Insp.	Yr.	$ 6,612.60	$ 7,053.44	$ 7,494.28	
		wk.	127.16	135.64	144.12	
2	Jr. Bldg. Custodian	Yr.	$ 5,364.32	$ 5,593.12	$ 5,845.32	40
		wk.	103.16	107.56	112.41	
		hr.	2.579	2.689	2.809	
1	Public Health Nurse (Sr.)	Yr.	$ 5,821.75	$ 6,048.78	$ 6,313.28	40
1	Public Health Nurse	Yr.	$ 5,221.75	$ 5,448.78	$ 5,713.28	40
		wk.	100.41	104.78	109.87	
2	Principal Clerk	Yr.	$ 4,378.40	$ 4,515.68	$ 4,675.84	40
		wk.	84.20	86.84	89.92	
		hr.	2.105	2.171	2.248	
2	Senior Clerk Steno.	Yr.	$ 4,010.24	$ 4,147.52	$ 4,286.88	40
	Senior Clerk Typist	wk.	77.12	79.76	82.44	
		hr.	1.928	1.994	2.061	
2	Junior Clerk-Steno.	Yr.	$ 3,644.16	$ 3,781.44	$ 3,897.92	40
	Junior Clerk-Typist	wk.	70.08	72.72	74.96	
		hr.	1.752	1.818	1.874	

PART TIME EMPLOYEES

Position		Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
Dog Officer	Yr.			$ 1,600.00	P.T.
Cattle Inspector	Yr.			$ 250.00	P.T.
Clk to Bd. of Selectmen	Yr.			$ 600.00	P.T.
Civil Defense Director	Yr.			$ 1,300.00	P.T.
Inspector of Wires	Yr.			$ 1,800.00	P.T.
Inspector of Wires (Asst.)	Yr.			$ 800.00	P.T.
Milk Insp. & Sanitarian	Yr.			$ 2,150.00	P.T.
Sealer of Wgts. & Measures	Yr.			$ 1,200.00	P.T.
Veterans Agent	Yr.			$ 1,500.00	P.T.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Summer Program — 8 Weeks (6 to 8 hr. day)

Director	wk.	$ 85.00	P.T.
Asst. Director	wk.	$ 70.00	P.T.
Leaders & Nature Study Leader	wk.	$ 65.00	P.T.
Aides	wk.	$ 60.00	P.T.
Twi-League:			
Baseball Coach	Season	$ 160.00	P.T.
Basketball Coach	Season	$ 160.00	P.T.

Winter Program - 15 Weeks (4 hr. session)

Director	Season	$ 320.00	P.T.
Asst. Director	Season	$ 240.00	P.T.
Instructors:			
Twirling	Season	$ 75.00	P.T.
Bowling (1st)	Session	$ 13.00	P.T.
Bowling 2nd)	Session	$ 12.00	P.T.
Modern Dance	Session	$ 10.00	P.T.
Volleyball	Session	$ 10.00	P.T.
Basketball Mgr.	Session	$ 13.00	P.T.
Leaders (Sat. only)	Session	$ 15.00	P.T.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT

Wardens	hr.	$ 2.14	P.T.
Deputy Wardens	hr.	$ 1.88	P.T.
Clerks	hr.	$ 2.14	P.T.
Deputy Clerks	hr.	$ 1.88	P.T.
Inspectors	hr.	$ 1.88	P.T.
Deputy Inspectors	hr.	$ 1.88	P.T.
Counters	hr.	$ 1.61	P.T.
Board of Registrars:			
Chairman	Yr.	$ 325.00	P.T.
Members (2)	Yr.	each $ 225.00	P.T.
Member Ex-Officio	Yr.	Town Clerk $ 225.00	P.T.
Listers	hr.	$ 1.70	P.T.

(1) Annual rates are controlling.
(2) Weekly rates are controlling,

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to fix the compensation of the following elective officers of the Town and determine that any salary increase approved shall become effective April 1st:

Item No.	Office	Annual Salary
1	Selectmen (5)	$ 1,000.00 - Each
22	Town Clerk	7,379.00
3	Treasurer	6,923.00
4	Collector of Taxes	8,173.00
5	Principal Assessor	7,946.00
6	Associate Assessors (2)	1,500.00 - Each
7	Board of Health - Chairman	500.00
8	Board of Health - Other (2)	300.00 - Each
9	Board of Public Welfare (3)	300.00 - Each

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Finance Committee

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to fix the compensation of the elected town officers, provide for a reserve fund, and to determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate, including appropriations from available funds, to defray charges and expenses of the Town, including debt and interest, for the ensuing year; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January, 1, 1968, and to issue note or notes as may be required for a period of not more than one year, in accordance with Section 4 and Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1967, and to issue note or notes as may be required for a period of not more than one year, in accordance with Section 4 and Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or otherwise transfer a sum of money to aid in the support of the Bennett Public Library; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Bennett Public Library Association

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the property taken by the Town under Tax Title Procedure under the following terms and conditions:

1. No such property shall be sold for less than the total unpaid taxes or the assessed valuation, whichever is greater
2. Notice of intention to sell shall be published in a newspaper of local circulation for two consecutive weeks, the last notice to appear not less than ten days before said sale. The notice shall include the minimum acceptable bid as set forth above.
3. In the case of lots with less area frontage than required by the Zoning By-Law in the applicable district, the property shall be awarded to the abutting owner, if any, who makes the highest bid above the minimum.
4. In all other cases, the award shall be made to the person making the highest bid above said minimum.
5. In every case, the cost of advertising, plus cost of transfer shall be added to the amount of the bid and paid by the purchaser.
6. The Board of Selectmen shall conduct not more than three such sales in any one calendar year;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to advertise Tax Title lots; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-Law:

No contract for the furnishing of goods or services shall be valid unless, prior to the performance thereof, a certificate shall have been attached thereto by the Department Head or his authorized representative certifying that an appropriation in the full amount of the contract price for the current year is available therefor.

No obligation shall be incurred and no expenditure shall be made for goods or services until a requisition or purchase order therefor has been issued by the department concerned and a certificate attached thereto by the Department Head or his authorized representative certifying that there are sufficient funds in the appropriate account to pay the entire amount of such expenditure or obligation;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Finance Committee

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $9,090.69 to pay the following bills: Water Department, Billerica Market, Inc., 1965 bill for $6.01; Demers Plate Glass Company, 1965 bill for $17.15; William F. Kelley, 1963 and 1964 bills for $256.00; John E. Keoughan, 1965 bills for $144.10; Charles McWhinnie, 1965 bills for $139.90; Public Works Department, Emmons, Fleming & Bienvenu, 1965 bill for $421.25; Gulf Oil Corporation, 1965 bills for $323.19; Highway Department, Grossman's, 1965 bill for $349.13; Lowell Iron & Steel Company, 1964 bill for $19.07; Sears, Roebuck & Company, 1965 bill for $441.31; John P. Condon Corporation, 1965 bill for $4,943.29; Fay and Driscoll, Inc., 1965 bill for $288.30; Billerica Motor Parts, Inc., 1965 bill for $153.35; Burlington Motor Parts, 1964 bill for $99.06; Jowalco, Inc., 1965 bill for $328.25; Allied Chemical Corp., 1965 bill for $259.20; Memorial Day Committee, William F. Eggo Post No. 2596 V.F.W., 1965 bill for $95.82; Tree Department, Grossman's, 1965 bill for $74.17; Lowell Iron & Steel Company, 1965 bill for $17.88; Sewer Department, Grossman's, 1965 bill for $184.47; Public Works Department, Arakelian & Jones, 1965 bill for $60.00; Penn Culvert Company, 1965 bill for $409.84; American Standard Corporation, 1965 bill for $59.95; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,063.55 to pay the following 1966 bills: Veterans' Benefits: Pawtucket Pharmacy, Inc., $47.80; Towne Plaza Drug, Inc., $24.35; John Q. Marshall, M.D., $18.00; St. Joseph's Hospital, $10.00; David A. Latham, M.D., $10.00; Limby's Pharmacy, $76.90; Vocational Schools: City of Boston, $486.27; Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute, $360.00; City of Lowell, $530.25; City of Somerville, $499.98; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Veterans' Agent and School Committee

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Laws Chapter 40 Section 22D; authorizing the Town to remove vehicles which impede snow removal process; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote under the provisions of Chapter 83 and Section 8 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth as amended:

1. To raise and appropriate a sum of money and determine how said sum shall be raised, whether by taxation, by appropriation

from available funds in the treasury, and/or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as amended, or by a combination of the same, said sum to be used in conjunction with any Federal Funds as may be made available under Public Law 660, Public Law 136 and/or Public Law 117, any State funds as may be made available under Chapter 685 and 687 of the Acts of 1966, or any other available funds for the purpose of laying out and constructing additions and extensions to the Town's system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal and for the purchase of all necessary land and easements as may be required for the additions or extensions to said system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal, including pumping stations; and authorize that the Board of Selectmen, acting for and on behalf of the Town, shall have full power and authority to lay out and construct said additions and extensions to the Town's system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal, and to make application in the name of and on behalf of the Town for any federal or state aid in connection with this sewerage project;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote under the provisions of Chapter 83 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as amended, and Chapter 736 of the Acts of 1964 to authorize three citizens of the Town to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen to act as a board of sewer commissioners, to hold office, one until the annual election of Town officers in 1968, one until the annual election of Town officers in 1969, and one until the annual election of Town officers in 1970 and until their successors are qualified; and thereafter at each annual election of Town officers when the term of a member expires, to elect one member of the board to serve for three years and until his successor is qualified; said board of sewer commissioners to serve without compensation; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 736, of the Acts of 1964 and the provision of General Laws, Chapter 83, and the amendments thereto, what proportion of the estimated cost of its system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal the Town shall pay; or take any action relative thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 736, of the Acts of 1964, and the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 83, and the amendments thereto, by which of such methods the remaining portion of the estimated cost of the Town's system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal not borne by the Town shall be provided for; or take any action relative thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 392 of the Acts of 1964 which is an act authorizing the Town of

Billerica to construct and operate a system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to make application for an interest-free advance of Federal Funds under Public Law 560 for the preliminary planning of a Town-wide system of main surface water drains and stream improvements, said preliminary planning to include drawings, cost estimates and report upon proposed public work, pass any vote; or take any action relative thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be used to employ two permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase three station wagon type cruisers and one four-door sedan type cruiser for the Billerica Police Department, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade or sell the three 1966 Chevrolet station wagon type cruisers and the 1965 Dodge four-door sedan type cruiser, to be applied against the purchase price of the four new vehicles; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase three mobile radio units for police cruisers and base station complete with antenna for police station, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to dispose of the present three mobile radio units, base station and antenna; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase four electronic sirens complete with speakers to be installed on the three station wagon type cruisers and the police ambulance; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to complete the replacements of the heating system at the Billerica Police Station; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to employ four (4) additional permanent men for the Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate

or transfer from available funds the sum of $8,312.00 for additional permanent men and equipment for same in the event that the preceding article is accepted; the sum of $7,912.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department and the sum of $400.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department; the additional men to start employment on or about September 1, 1967; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2,900.00 to purchase a new Chief's car for the Fire Department, radio to be changed over from present car to new car, the old Chief's car to be used toward the purchase price of the new car; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $637.00 to extend the fire alarm wires into Riverhurst from old Concord Road along Riverhurst Road for a distance of approximately one-half mile; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,300.00 to extend the fire alarm wires on Boston Road from Treble Cove Road north to the East Chelmsford town line, a distance of approximately one and one-half miles; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $637.00 to extend the fire alarm wires on Pond Street from Salem Road to Walnut Lane, a distance of approximately one-half mile; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,274.00 to extend the fire alarm wires from Boston Road along Webb Brook Road to Allen Road thence north along Allen Road to Baldwin Road; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to approve a "Longevity Pay" to members of the Police and Fire Departments, as follows: Each member of the Police and Fire Departments shall receive annually, in addition to his annual pay an amount equal to three (3%) per cent of his annual salary for each five (5) years of service on said Police or Fire Department. A member of the Police or Fire Department will be eligible to receive said "Longevity Pay" only upon completion of five (5) years of continuous service on said Police or Fire Department. The service of a member of the Police or Fire Department will be determined from the date of his "permanent appointment" to said Police or Fire Department. The "Longevity Pay" of a member of said Police or Fire Department shall not exceed fifteen (15%) per cent of the annual salary of the member of said Police or Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Thomas J. Adams, Jr. and others

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to provide for longevity payments to the officers and employees of the Town, and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money necessary to carry out such purpose; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Frederick G. Brown and others

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a new road grader and authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the present road grader and apply the money toward the purchase price of the new grader; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a cab and chassis to replace the 1962 Chevrolet truck, #10, that will be used to mount a compressor, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the 1946 Ford Truck, which presently mounts a compressor and apply the money toward the purchase price of the cab and chassis; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a tractor with backhoe attachment for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a calculator, for the Public Works Administrator's office; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the installation of a chain link fence at the Public Works Department on Boston Road; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a sign making machine and necessary equipment; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a pick-up truck for the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a 10" Model 19 SH Rotor Mower, to be used by the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase two (2) Jacobsen Trimmers (Mowers) or equal to be used by the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase two (2) 75" Locke Triplex 9 H.P. Reverse Gears, or equal for use by the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase the necessary equipment for a mobile radio system for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be used to purchase a Sander Body for the Public Works Department, and authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the old body; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $300.00 to participate in the in-service training program for Civil Engineering as set up by the Massachusetts Department of Education; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,300,000.00 for the purpose of constructing water extensions of six (6) inch mains or larger, a force main over sixteen (16) inches in diameter, a standpipe, additions and improvements to the existing water treatment plant, and appurtenant work, all substantially as recommended for the first stage of construction by the Town's Consulting Engineers, Camp, Dresser and McKee, in its report to the Town dated September 28, 1964; and authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire all necessary land and easements thereto by gift, by purchase or by seizure by right of eminent domain; and to determine whether the same shall be raised by transfer from available funds, by borrowing under Chapter 364 of the Acts of 1966 and under G. L. Chapter 44, Section 8, or by a combination of the foregoing; and to authorize the Board of Public Works, apply for, accept, and use any money that may become available for that purpose from the Federal and/or State Government; or take any other action relative thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a Public Works Building to be constructed at the Water Treatment Plant on Boston Road, to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to

apply for, accept and use any money that may become available for that purpose from the Federal or State Government; or take any other action relative thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the installation of Fire Pre-emption lights at the two fire stations located on Boston Road; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the replacement of a Flag Pole at the Talbot Oval; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to repair the band stand retaining colonial style located in the Town Common; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Historical Study Committee

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the installation of a guard rail at the intersection of Middlesex Canal and Rogers Street; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a sidewalk on the southerly side of School Lane from Wyman Road to Lexington Road a distance of approximately 2,500 feet; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to repair and/or rebuild, sidewalk on Colson Street and Talbot Avenue, a total distance of approximately 1,500 feet; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 57. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to repair or rebuild the sidewalk at the Town Hall; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to reconstruct Manning Road, and install water line to Station 17, as shown on plan dated, August, 1966; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be used in conjunction with money voted under Article 38 of the Annual Town Meeting of March 1966, for the construction of a drain on Nashua Road southerly from Dudley Road to a brook; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 60. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for a storm drainage system from the junction of Oakwood and Edgewood Streets to the Concord River; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the installation of a storm sewer drainage system in the Central Park area to take care of water accumulating from Pond Street for an outlet at the corner of Broad and Vine Streets; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to construct storm drainage system on Hampstead Avenue, from a point approximately 400 feet westerly of Letchworth Avenue, a distance of approximately 650 feet; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will vote to raise or appropriate, borrow or transfer a sum of money for the construction of a Sanitary Sewer from the intersection of the trunk line on River Street, thence, easterly to the proposed location of the Housing for the Elderly, a total distance of approximately 1800 feet; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 64. To see if the Town will vote to accept Bridge Street, as relocated by the Board of Selectmen, from Boston Road to Treble Cove Road, approximately 2500 feet, as shown on a plan entitled, Plan of the Relocation of Bridge Street, Billerica, Massachusetts, as ordered by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, dated November, 1966, on file with the Town Clerk, and raise and appropriate or transfer a sum of money to pay damages and costs; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 65. To see if the Town will vote to set aside the amount of $28,442.07, made available by Section 5 Chapter 679 of the Acts of 1965, for the reconstruction of Bridge Street; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 66. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,300.00, to pay for non-participating items in connection with Chapter 90 Construction of Treble Cove Road; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 67. To see if the Town will vote to accept Industrial Avenue, a distance of 1,915 feet, as a public way, in accordance with the lay out by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 68. To see if the Town will vote to accept Urban Road as a public way, from the southerly line of Baldwin Road southerly of a distance of approximately 550 feet, in accordance with the lay out by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 69. To see if the Town will vote to accept Knowles Drive as a public way in accordance with the lay out by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Robert F. Sweeney and others

ARTICLE 70. To see if the Town will vote to accept Bowman Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Charles E. Randall, Jr. and others

ARTICLE 71. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer the sum of $5,500.00 for the salary of an Executive Secretary; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Francis B. MacDonald and others

ARTICLE 72. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen to take the necessary steps to institute an appropriate leash law or ordinance for the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Lillian Grant and others

ARTICLE 73. To see if the Town will vote that no person, who owns or keeps a dog, shall allow the animal to run free when not restricted to the premises of said owner or keeper. When off said premises, such dogs shall be leashed and curbed. Whoever violates this Section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Lloyd D. Meek and others

ARTICLE 74. To see if the Town will accept as a town by-law the following:

No person shall fire or discharge any firearm or explosive of any kind within the limits of any highway, park or other public property, except with the written permission of the Board of Selectmen, or on any private property except with the written consent of the owner or legal occupant thereof:- provided however, that the by-law shall not apply to the lawful defense of life or property, nor to any law enforcement officer acting in the discharge of his duties.

Any person violating this by-law shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars for each offense;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Santo Messina and others

ARTICLE 75. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 for maintaining the Billerica Little League Field and to aid in the support of the Little League; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Billerica Little League

ARTICLE 76. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Billerica Bantam Pee Wee youth program, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Billerica Hockey Association; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Billerica Hockey Association

ARTICLE 77. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Babe Ruth League, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Babe Ruth League Committee; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Babe Ruth League Committee

ARTICLE 78. To see if the Town will vote to establish a position in Public Works, titled, Civil Engineer, whose educational requirements shall be that he is a four year college graduate, majoring in Civil Engineering, and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for compensation for this position; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 79. To see if the Town will vote to establish a position in Public Works, titled, Engineering Aide, whose educational requirements shall be that he is a high school graduate, majoring in math or equivalent of one year college engineering fundamentals, and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for compensation for this position; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 80. To see if the Town will vote to establish a position in Public Works, titled, Chief Sewerage Treatment Plant Operator, and raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for compensation for this position; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 81. To see if the Town will vote to establish a position in Public Works, titled Assistant Sewerage Treatment Plant Operator, and raise and appropriate a sum of money for compensation for this position; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 82. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to install a drainage system and resurface Riveredge Road, in West Billerica; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Shirley J. Brannen and others

ARTICLE 83. To see if the Town will vote to accept Trifiro Road, as a public way, in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 84. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, the sum of $2,500.00 to be used in the expansion of Cemetery Property for the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Cemetery Commissioners

ARTICLE 85. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $8,800.00 for the purpose of purchasing or renting voting machines for the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 86. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law Section 8, to read as follows:

1. In Neighborhood Business Districts and in General Business Districts there shall be provided on each lot an open yard space of not less than fifty (50) feet depth along the front property line and not less than twenty-five (25) feet depth along each side property line except as may be permitted otherwise by the Board of Appeals on petition of the property owner concerned after a public hearing thereon with due notice given. No building or structure shall hereafter be built, altered, moved, reconstructed or extended so that any part thereof including loading platforms, covered or open, but not eaves or steps, shall be nearer than fifty (50) feet from the front line or twenty-five (25) feet from the side line of any lot in such district, nor nearer than thirty-five (35) feet from the rear of such lot.
2. In Industrial Districts there shall be provided on each lot an open yard space of not less than one hundred (100) feet depth along the front property line and not less than thirty-five (35) feet depth along each side property line, and not less than fifty (50) feet depth along the rear line of such lot, except that an open yard space of not less than fifty (50) feet depth shall be provided on any lot in an Industrial District wherever such lot abuts land residentially zoned;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 87. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00, or a sum of money, to be expended by the Planning Board for the purpose of employing Counsel or incurring other expense in relation to any appeals it may determine to take from decisions of the Board of Appeals in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 81 BB, and Chapter 40Z, Section 21, of the General Laws; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 88. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Residential District to General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Arlex Oil Corporation on Middlesex Turnpike bounded and described as follows:

The land with building thereon, being five certain lots of land #1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 in Block F, on a plan of Crosby Gardens made by R. F. Smith, Surveyor, dated October, 1929, and recorded with Middlesex Northern District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 57, Plan 16 and to which plan and the recording thereof reference is hereby made for the bounds, measurements, areas, and a more complete description;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 89. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Residential District to Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by Graypond Realty Trust on land between Gray and Pond Streets bounded by the Middlesex Canal and described as follows:

Northerly by land of Boston & Maine Corp., 4,993.62 feet
Easterly by Gray Street, 212.14 feet
Southerly by land of Alice J. Nelson, 316.18 feet
Easterly by land of Alice J. Nelson, 152.34 feet
Southerly by land of Guanieri and others, 4,925.70 feet
Westerly by Pond Street, 985.14 feet
Containing 106.8955 acres of land;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 90. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Rural Residential District to an Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by Lectronic Realty Corporation on the easterly side of Boston Road bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the north by land now or formerly of Donnelly, Tracey, Champagne and O'Brien; on the east by the Concord River; on the south by land of Lectronic Realty Corporation, an existing industrial zone; on the west by land now or formerly of Peterson, Clermont, an existing business zone, and land now or formerly of Condon on Treble Cove Road and McBride;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 91. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to a General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Boynton & Dutile Realty Trust located on the westerly side of Boston Road, bounded and described as follows:

Easterly by Boston Road in two courses totaling 376.65 feet
Northerly by Pine Street, 100 feet
Westerly by land now or formerly of Joseph Kukulski, 95 feet
Northerly again by said Kukulski land 99.30 feet

Westerly again by land now or formerly of Patrick F. Delahanty, 293.17 feet

Southerly by the southern bank of the Middlesex Canal, 200 feet;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 92. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Residence District to Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by Frances Duserica, formerly of Barbara Galvin, lying east of Concord Road and bounded as follows:

Northerly by land of Honeywell, Inc., 1290 feet + or —; Easterly by Boston and Maine Railroad Bedford Branch, 1400 feet + or —; Southerly by land of Antonio Proia and Roger A. Frissora, 76 feet + or —; Westerly by land of Arone, 104 feet + or —; Southerly still by land of Arone 504 feet + or —; then Westerly by Concord Road 448 feet + or —, excepting 4 + or — acres fronting on Concord Road which should remain as residential, a 50 feet wide right of way running through the northerly portion of the residential land, from Concord Road to the westerly bound of any land proposed for rezoning shall be set aside and be designated for entrance and exit to and from the proposed industrial land only;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 93. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning May by rezoning from Neighborhood Residence District to General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Visco, Incorporated & Gerarda Visco lying east of Boston Road adjoining land of Boston & Maine Railroad and bounded as follows:

Westerly by Boston & Maine Railroad and General Business District owned by Gerada Visco; Northerly by land of George S. Flint; Easterly by other land of Visco, Incorporated; Southerly by land of James E. Farmer, the easterly line of said lot meaning to be 250 feet paraliel to the easterly sideline of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

Lot A	120,380 Square Feet	Visco, Inc.
Lot B	2,460 Square Feet	Visco, Inc.
Lot C	16,250 Square Feet	Gerarda Visco
Lot D	2,920 Square Feet	Gerarda Visco

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 94. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to an Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by M. & T. Construction Corp. formerly of Marion Finnigan lying east of High Street adjoining land of Boston & Maine Railroad and bounded as follows:

2,200 feet along Boston & Maine Railroad to the South, turning 600 feet to the West along the land of M. & T. Construction Corp. turning to the East 2,200 feet and back to point of beginning on

the Southeast corner by land of Boston & Maine, containing approximately 30 acres more or less;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 95. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Business District to a General Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Collentro Maples, Inc., of Concord Road, and bounded as follows:

Bounded on the North by Lots 324 and 62B as shown on Land Court plans #2792S and #2792M, a total of 259.12 feet, on the East and South by Riverhurst Road and Old Concord Road, a total distance of 335.91 feet; on the West by Lot E as shown on Land Court plan #2792D, a total distance of 153.86 feet;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 96. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding the following:

Section 21 Penalty

Any person violating any provisions of this by-law, any of the conditions under which a permit is issued, or any decision rendered by the Board of Appeals, may be fined not more than fifty dollars for each offense. Each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense:

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Planning Board

ARTICLE 97. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 for legal services for the Collector of Taxes Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Collector of Taxes

ARTICLE 98. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Board By-Law by first deleting the paragraph, titled, NON OCCUPATIONAL SICK LEAVE, and substituting the following paragraph, titled, NON OCCUPATIONAL SICK LEAVE, to read as follows: Every employee occupying a full time position subject to the classification and compensation plan, shall be allowed by the head of his or her department, sick leave with pay for a period of 10 days during each calendar year, provided said sick leave is caused by sickness or injury, or exposure to contageous disease, unused sick leave to be accumulative to 50 days for full time permanent employees of the Town except the Police and Fire Departments.

Second by inserting a paragraph, titled, BEREAVEMENT LEAVE to read as follows: Every employee occupying a full time position, subject to the classification and compensation plan shall be allowed by his or her department head to have up to three working days off with pay in case of a death of a member of his or her immediate family, non cumulative; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 99. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $425,000.00 for water main extensions of six inch mains or larger, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxes, transfer from available funds, or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Water Committee

ARTICLE 100. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to establish a "Well Baby Clinic" and additional services for the Town of Billerica to be administered by the Visiting Nurses Association under the direction of the local Board of Health; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Dr. Leonard Bram and others

ARTICLE 101. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $2363.30 as Billerica's share of the State Mental Health Program; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Department of Public Health

ARTICLE 102. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of pick-up and disposal of rubbish in the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 103. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,000.00 for a Dump Study Committee and hiring of a consultant firm to make a full survey of this situation and report back before the next Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Department of Public Health

ARTICLE 104. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $10,000.00 for the Industrial Commission; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 105. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to purchase shade trees, shrubbery, landscaping and replacing old trees for the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 106. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose of having a series of band concerts on the Billerica Center Common during the summer months; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 107. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00, under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C for the purpose of maintaining the Conservation Commission; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 108. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Conservation Commission to petition the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Works, Division of Waterways, under Chapter 91, to make a survey and cost study of the feasibility of removing the fertility of Nuttings Lake by dredging; and improve and maintain the level and flow of the lake; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 109. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding a new section "Section 5A" after Section 5 as it appears on Pages 3 to 11 inclusive in the Zoning By-Law booklet to read as follows:

Section 5A Exceptions. The Board of Appeals may grant, as an exception from the provisions of this by-law, in any and all zoning districts, the right to create and maintain an artificial pond or ponds for private or public use, and for that purpose to excavate and remove from the premises sand, gravel and other like earth materials, to such depth and over such area as the Board shall determine, PROVIDED that the Board of Appeals, after public hearing as provided in Section 4 and Section 17 of Chapter 40A of the General Laws of Massachusetts, shall determine that such use will be in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning By-Law.

Any such permit shall be subject to such rules, regulations or conditions as may be laid down by the Board of Appeals at the time of the granting of the permit and which are incorporated as part of any such permit; and provided further that no such permit shall be effective until the area involved has been approved by the Department of Natural Resources of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Middlesex Conservation District.

Upon the granting of such permit by the Board of Appeals and the approval of the area as herein provided, the control and management of such artificial pond or ponds shall be under the Conservation Commission of the Town of Billerica and subject to its rules and regulations;

or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 110. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Conservation Commission, under a cooperative agreement with the U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Service, to establish a natural resource inventory for the Town, and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for such purpose; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Conservation Commission and the Planning Board

ARTICLE 111. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of $1,000.00 from the Forest Fund, for expenses, maintenance and A.C.P. work; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Forest Committee

ARTICLE 112. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money, to be expended by the

Board of Assessors, to employ professional appraisers for the purpose of placing valuation on two parcels of industrial properties; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Board of Assessors

ARTICLE 113. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 for the procurement of base maps and tax maps and the sale of copies thereof, said funds to be expended by the Map Committee; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Map Committee

ARTICLE 114. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,500.00 to formulate a Swimming Program. This money to be used for pool fees, transportation, and instruction; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Recreation Commission

ARTICLE 115. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Billerica Junior League Football. This money to be used for insurance, medical expenses, and officiating; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by the Recreation Commission

ARTICLE 116. To see if the Town will vote to order and direct the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain, in fee, for school building purposes, 21 acres of land, more or less, with the buildings, thereon, bounded and described as follows: beginning at a point on the wall at land of Matarazzo and Owners Unknown, said point being 240.71 feet, more or less, southerly along the property line, from the southerly sideline of Call Street; the land is bounded northerly by land of Matarazzo to a point at land of Matarazzo and Balliro, said point being 256.52 feet, more or less, southerly along the property line from the southerly sideline of Call Street; thence westerly by land of Matarazzo, to land of Murphy; thence northerly and westerly by land of Murphy and the westerly sideline of Balliro Road, as shown on Land Court Plan #24227, to the southerly sideline of Call Street; thence northerly by the southerly sideline of Call Street to land of Miscone; thence easterly by land of Miscone; thence northerly by land of Miscone and Antonuk to a point common to Antonuk, Antonuk and the Town of Billerica; thence easterly by land of the Town of Billerica, Pickering and Wright; thence southerly by land of Wright, thence northeasterly by land of Wright and Pupkis; thence bounded northwesterly by land of Pupkis; thence bounded northeasterly by the southwesterly sideline of Rogers Street; thence bounded southeasterly by land of Naughler, thence bounded northeasterly by land of Naughler; said boundary being an extension of a line 200 feet from and parallel with the westerly sideline of Rogers Street, fronting land of Naughler; thence bounded southeasterly by land of Gozzo; thence bounded westerly by a portion of the easterly end of Maple Street; Town of Billerica, Nomrah Realty Trust and the easterly end of Beacon Street; thence southerly by the northerly line of Beacon Street; thence westerly by land of Owners Unknown; thence southerly by land of Owners Unknown, Town of Billerica and Owners Unknown to a stone

bound at land of Owners Unknown, Town of Billerica and Matarazzo; thence westerly by land of Town of Billerica, Owners Unknown, Town of Billerica and Owners Unknown to the point of beginning. Containing 21 acres, more or less.
Submitted by the Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 117. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money, for the purchase or taking, in fee, for school building purposes, 21 acres, more or less, of land as described in the previous article; or take any other action thereon.
Submitted by the Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 118. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of, fifty thousand dollars to be used and expended by the Permanent School Building Committee for architectural, engineering and legal services in consultation with and for the benefit of such Committee with reference to building an elementary school in North Billerica; or take any other action thereon.
Submitted by the Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 119. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,772.00 to be used for the operation of State-aided Evening Practical Arts Education Courses including also Adult Education Courses; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Billerica School Committee

ARTICLE 120. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money, in addition to the $27,000.00 voted under Article 105 of the March, 1966 Town Meeting, to replace the roof of the Vining School; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Billerica School Committee

ARTICLE 121. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,000.00 to formulate plans and designs for making a football field and track field at the rear of Memorial High School; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Billerica School Committee

ARTICLE 122. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,000.00 for custodial fees to aid the duly authorized youth organizations of the Town (sum to be expended under direction of the School Committee); or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Billerica School Committee

ARTICLE 123. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to print a valuation book, said book to list the names, residences and valuations of all real and personal property in the Town of Billerica as of January 1, 1967; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Finance Committee

ARTICLE 124. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a sum of money for a stabilization fund for capital outlays under the authority of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Finance Committee

ARTICLE 125. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash a sum of money to be used to apply to the 1967 tax rate; or act in relation thereto.
Submitted by Finance Committee

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof, one copy at the Town Hall, one copy at the Parker School, one copy at the Talbot School, one copy at the Eugene C. Vining School, one copy at the Ditson School, one copy at the Frederick J. Dutile School,, one copy at the John F. Kennedy School, one copy at each of the Post Offices of the Town, and one copy at ten public places at least eight days before said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of the Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-seven.

PAUL F. NEWMAN, Chairman
STUART L. POTTER, Vice-Chairman
RUSSELL A. YOUNG, Secretary
GEORGE E. LEWIS
DONALD W. DAVIS
Board of Selectmen

A true copy
Attest:

JOSEPH L. RYAN,
Constable

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for the

Town of Billerica

1967

Receipts, Expenditures

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THE BILLERICA PUBLISHING CO., INC.

IN MEMORIAM

SELECTMAN GEORGE EDWARD LEWIS

JUNE 7, 1967

AGE 44 YEARS - 8 MONTHS - 11 DAYS

A beloved community leader and at the time of his death was a member of the Board of Selectmen serving in this capacity since March 1959 and also was a member of the Industrial Commission.

He also devoted much of his time and energy to the Youth Program of the Town.

He served on the Finance Committee from 1954 to 1956, serving as Chairman in 1956 and Secretary in 1954.

His wisdom, thoughtfullness and efforts will always be remembered in behalf of the Town of Billerica.

IN MEMORIAM

JOSEPH T. VOCELL

JANUARY 14, 1967

AGE 51 YEARS - 6 MONTHS - 3 DAYS

Served as Precinct Officer in Precinct 3 and also served on various committees throughout the Town.

IN MEMORIAM

WILLIAM JAMES MORRIS

DECEMBER 9, 1967

AGE 78 YEARS

Member of the Board of Public Welfare 1928-1967.

GENERAL INFORMATION

AREA: 25.96 square miles.

ALTITUDE: 375 feet above sea level.

INCORPORATED: May, 1655.

POPULATION: 23,633 (1965 State Census)

DISTRICTS: Fifth Congressional, Sixth Councillor, Seventh Middlesex Senatorial and Nineteenth Middlesex Representative.

UNITED STATES SENATORS: Edward M. Kennedy of Boston and Edward W. Brooke of Newton.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS: F. Bradford Morse of Lowell.

COUNCILLOR: G. Edward Bradley of Somerville.

STATE SENATOR: Ronald C. MacKenzie of Burlington.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT: Stanley J. Bocko of Billerica.

ANNUAL ELECTION: First Saturday in March.

ANNUAL APPROPRIATION MEETING: Second Saturday in March.

OFFICES OPEN MONDAY EVENING: Tax Collector, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Assessors, Board of Health and Veteran's Agent.

SELECTMEN: Meet the first and third Monday of the month at 8:00 P.M.

QUALIFICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS VOTER: Must be 21 years of age, American born or fully naturalized, and have resided in Massachusetts for one year and Billerica six months. Registrations Monday through Friday 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and also Monday evening at the Office of the Town Clerk. Special evening sessions of Registrars held preceeding elections.

ABSENTEE VOTING: State and National Elections.

DOG LICENSES: All dog licenses expire March 31st. A dog should be licensed when three months old. Fees: Male, $2.00; Female, $5.00; Spayed female, $2.00.

TAX BILLS: Due and payable July 1st. Interest will be added according to law from October 1st on bills unpaid after November 1st. Motor excise bills are due thirty days from date of issuance.

BOARD OF HEALTH: Householders shall report to the Board of Health all cases of communicable disease unless a physician is in attendance.

TAX RATE: $114.00 per $1000.00.

ASSESSED VALUATION:

Personal Estate	$ 2,504,850.00
Real Estate	33,437,520.00
Total Assessed Estate	$35,942,370.00

AT YOUR SERVICE

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

POLICE:
- Emergency Calls Only 667-1212
- For All Other Purposes 663-8443

FIRE:
- To Report a Fire 663-3433
- For All Other Business 663-6071

CIVIL DEFENSE 663-3464

For Information On:	Call	At
Aid to Dependent Children	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Assessments	Assessors	663-3591
Bills and Accounts	Accountant and Treasurer	667-7921 — 663-4321
Birth Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Building Permits	Inspections Dept.	663-4081
Cemetery		663-3448
Civil Defense	Director	663-3464
Death Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Disability Assistance Welfare	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Dog Licenses	Town Clerk	667-1512
Dogs - Lost and Found	Dog Officer	667-1212
Draft Board	Draft No. 99	663-3734
Elections and Registrations	Town Clerk	667-1512
Fire Permits	Fire Department	663-3433
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping Licenses	Town Clerk	667-1512
Fuel Oil Storage	Fire Department	663-3433
Garbage Collection	Board of Health	663-2611
Health	Board of Health	663-2611
Dumping Permits	Board of Health	663-2611
Industrial Commission	Town Clerk	667-1512
Library	Public Library	663-3183
Marriage Certificates	Town Clerk	667-1512
Milk Inspection	Board of Health	663-2611
Commercial Code	Town Clerk	667-1512
Planning	Planning Board	
Public Works Department	663-6441 — 663-3742 —	663-2235
Old Age Assistance	Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Playgrounds and Recreation		663-8097

School Department		
School Administration Bldg.		
Supt. of Schools		667-9811 — 663-4612
Ditson School		663-2255
Frederick J. Dutile School		663-2131
Howe Jr. High		663-3621 — 663-4359
Guidance Office		663-4222
John F. Kennedy School		667-1121
Memorial High	Dietician	663-4251
	Guidance Dept.	667-9984 — 663-8711
	Nurse	663-4212
	Principal	663-2065
	Vice-Principal	663-4274
	Maintenance	667-1161
Parker School		663-8244
Pollard School		663-3631
Talbot School		663-3705
Eugene C. Vining		663-4912
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Inspector	663-8817
Selectmen	Selectmen	667-7182
Sewers	Public Works Dept.	663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235
Streets	Public Works Dept.	663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235
Tax Assessments	Assessors	663-3591
Tax Collections	Tax Collector	663-8882
Tax Title	Town Treasurer	663-4321
Town Hall	Custodian	663-8882
Tree and Moth		663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235
Town Accountant	Bills and Accounts	667-7921
Town Treasurer		663-4321
Veterans	Veterans' Service	663-3692
Voting and Registration	Board of Registrars	667-1512
Water	Public Works Dept.	663-6441 — 663-3742 — 663-2235
Water Collections	Town Treasurer	663-4321
Welfare	Public Welfare Dept.	663-2117
Wire Inspector	Albert J. Hughes	663-2138 — 663-4081
Zoning	Inspections Dept.	663-4081

DIRECTORY
TOWN OFFICERS - 1967

	ELECTED	Term Expires
Selectmen	Paul F. Newman, Chmn.	March 1970
	Stuart L. Potter, V-Chmn.	March 1969
	George E. Lewis, Sec. deceased 6/7/67	March 1968
	Russell A. Young	March 1968
	Donald W. Davis	March 1969
	Vincent M. Padula elected 11/18/67	March 1968
Moderator	Marion D. Gould	March 1968
Town Clerk	Mildred A. Westhaver	March 1969
Town Treasurer	Robert H. Fowler	Tenure
Collector of Taxes	John F. Monahan	March 1968
Assessor	Henry F. Collins Principal Assessor	March 1970
	Arthur C. Barnard	March 1969
	Austin P. Bent	March 1968
Board of Health	Frederick H. Gould, Chmn.	March 1969
	Frederick G. Brown Co-Agent	March 1968
	Warren A. Hookway Co-Agent	March 1970
Board of Public Welfare	William J. Morris, Chmn. deceased 12/9/67	March 1969
	James J. Torpey	March 1968
	Arthur R. Hallenborg	March 1970
School Committee	John T. Glavine, Chmn.	March 1970
	Andrew T. Card, V-Chmn.	March 1969
	Robert F. Loranger, Sec.	March 1969
	Paul J. Heffernan	March 1968
	Irving Folk	March 1968
Planning Board	Thomas H. Conway, Chmn.	March 1969
	Richard D. Manning, V-Chmn.	March 1968
	Arthur C. Fillmore, Sec.	March 1971
	Vincent M. Padula	March 1970
	Joseph H. Johnson, Jr.	March 1972
Cemetery Commissioners	Frederic H. Brown, Chmn.	March 1968
	Frank T. Dignon	March 1969
	Ruth E. Howard	March 1970
Constables	Joseph L. Ryan	March 1968
	Robert A. Olivieri	March 1968
Billerica Housing Authority	*Joseph H. Johnson, Chmn.	
	Leonard H. Harmon, V-Chmn.	March 1972
	William T. Desmond, Treas.	March 1970
	Ruth M. McCue, Sec.	March 1971
	James J. Galvin, Asst.-Treas.	March 1969
*Appointed State Member of the Billerica Housing Authority		
Regional Vocational School	Everett McCue	March 1969
	Kenneth L. Buffum	March 1970

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

PRECINCT ONE

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1970)

Arthur R. Hallenborg
John W. Trainor
Frederick H. Gould
Frederic R. Brown
Frederic H. Brown
Gordon C. Brainerd
Robert E. Hentz
Marion D. Gould
James M. Burke, Jr.
F. Virginia Williams
Philip H. Taylor
Daniel E. Canty, Jr.

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Donald W. Davis
Bruce A. Brace
Laurence J. Greenwood
Mildred F. S. Knox
Frederick G. Brown
Andrew T. Card
Shirley E. Schult
Herbert C. Brown
Michael C. Clery
Leonard H. Harmon
John P. Makarevich

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Henry F. Collins
Edgar A. Williams
Helen M. Brainerd
Charles O. Hallenborg
Chester C. Sandberg
Irving Folk
Gilbert W. Griggs
Gladys C. Barnard
Robert A. Dunstan
Arthur C. Fillmore
Maurice J. Houlne
Morris Arakelian
Joseph M. Burke

PRECINCT TWO

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1970)

Richard F. Conway
Stanley J. Bocko
Lloyd J. Crandall, Jr.
Thomas H. Conway, Jr.
Stuart L. Potter
Marion E. Potter
Thomas H. Conway, Sr.
Elizabeth F. McCarthy
Frederick H. Murray
Ernest C. Burke
John F. Jacobs
Kenneth N. Lewis
Milan E. Burgess
Bernard A. Morris
James B. McGinness
Frank J. Pelczar
Robert F. Wilcox

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1969)

Robert F. Loranger
Major M. Cousens
Russell A. Young
Roland Poirier
George E. Lewis - deceased 6/7/67
Frank G. Fowler
Raymond F. McColough
William G. Harmon
Theodore E. Forsley
Richard G. Penney
James F. McNulty
Robert H. Moore
Franklyn M. McCaffrey
Elon N. Travis, Jr.
Warren J. Costedio
Joseph Pangraze
Robert Nickerson

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

Conrad LaFrance
O. Edward Dutile
Mary H. Dutile
Charles J. Faria
Francis A. Collins
Charles D. Burke
Dorothy H. Honnors
James H. McBride
Arthur L. Eno, Jr.
Hazel M. Burke
Beatrice B. Brigham
James F. Calder
Michael Tomyl

Elected by Members of Precinct 2

John E. Farmer

PRECINCT THREE

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1970)

Marguerite E. Gill
Alice F. Donovan
James M. Battcock
Harry E. Newman
Leo F. Flavin
Emile F. Steele
James A. Shaw
Bartholemew J. Burns
Francis L. Kelly, Jr.
Austin P. Bent
Chester A. Pasho
Sumner Gladstone
Hartwell W. Bernard
John W. Fleming, Jr.
Kenneth R. Martell

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1969)

Maurice A. Bent
Alice E. Donovan
Donna M. Flavin
Livio A. Buono
John P. Fitzgerald
Vincent M. Padula
James J. Galvin
Austra Upley
William T. Desmond
Lorraine F. Donovan
Francis B. MacDonald
Alfred Gladstone
Pauline C. Desmond
Mary A. Pasho
Thomas J. Mahoney
Kathryn E. Sullivan
Merle B. True
Robert W. Sargent

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Paul F. Newman
Albert E. Boutwell
Arthur A. Curry
Christina C. Kelly
Rose E. Kelm
Joseph A. Havey
Josephine M. Berry
Joseph A. Butler
Harry N. Gillis
Patrick B. Brien
Walter D. Donovan
Beverly K. Smith
Charles J. Sullivan
Paul Gladstone
Margaret M. McGrath
Norman J. McKay
Glenn R. Sennett

Elected by Members of Precinct 3

Donald J. Ryan
Philip L. Mitchell
Dorothy M. Flavin

PRECINCT FOUR

3-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1970)

Franklin G. Dustin
Rita M. Smith
Freeling T. McDewell
Frank C. Theodoropoulos
Bertha M. Lyons
Raymond F. Bouley
Kenneth E. MacPherson
Donna K. Collentro
Donald V. Finlay
James J. Collentro, Jr.
Arthur J. Cabral
Arthur G. Mallet

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Paul J. Heffernan
John Dwyer
John J. B. Arseneaux
Everett McCue
William R. Lee - resigned
Carl H. Tobey, Jr.
Helen C. Hyatt
Harry L. Norman
Ruth M. McCue
Canute W. Lee

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

William H. Lavery
John W. Dolan
Kenneth J. Powderly
Ralph R. Bacon
Bessie M. Bacon
Robert F. Sweeney
Joseph S. Collentro
Stasia J. Rudgis
George E. Jacobson
Manuel J. Furtado

Elected by Members of Precinct 4

Bruce A. Dustin
John W. Gjertsen

PRECINCT FIVE

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1970)

Lionel W. Williams
Harry S. Brown
Daniel P. Melillo
Eldridge W. Buffum
John A. Iodice, Jr.
John T. Glavine
Francis X. Halliday
John P. Sullivan
Henry D. Gaffny, Jr.
Ralph D. Trunfio

2-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1969)

Howard J. Ralston
Gerald A. Finlayson
Charles A. Ayers
Florence M. Field
Edward D. Shane
Edward J. Bastek
Lawrence G. Murray
Anna M. Buffum
Roger G. Seymour
Donald W. Fudge
Howard D. Taylor
Ralph R. Martino
Lorraine J. Allen

1-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1968)

William F. Burns
Elizabeth A. Johnson
Frank T. Dignon
Kenneth L. Buffum
Thomas K. McGuire
David G. McKenna
Marcello Olivieri
Mary M. Harring
Robert K. Fresolo
John K. Summers
Paul M. Sullivan
Thomas P. Joyce
Charles E. Allen
Andrew J. DeCaro, Jr.
Deana G. Shane

Elected by Members of Precinct 5

Robert G. Hamel

PRECINCT SIX

3-Year Term
(Term Expires March 1970)

John J. McLaughlin, Sr.
Warren A. Hookway
Michael T. Revane
Charles F. Fitzgerald
Richard D. Manning
Walter W. Arakelian
Shirley J. Brannen
Joseph R. Plourde
Allan J. Johnson
Charles R. Alexander
Robert E. O'Shaughnessy
George Clark
Nelson R. Plourde
Carolyn H. Bram
Emma T. Lewien
Basil B. Bartlow
Peter Ralph

2-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1969)

Walter T. Galvin
Hugh A. Manetta
Kenneth T. Keefe
Margaret M. Hamilton
George F. Livingston
Elizabeth A. Bergeron
Edward J. Brennan
Thomas J. Kilday
Bryant L. Perry
Roger Biagiotti, Jr.
Michael E. McLaughlin

1-Year Term

(Term Expires March 1968)

Joseph Revane
Philip H. Lewien
Leo F. Virgin
Gustav Wagner
James D. Sanford
Nellie M. Brannen
Raoul R. Dionne
Joseph T. Finnell, Jr.
Daniel V. Williams
Marcia S. Clark

Elected by Members of Precinct 6

Alfred L. Girard

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS AT LARGE

John F. Monahan
Robert H. Fowler
William J. Morris
John T. Glavine
Paul F. Newman
Lewis M. Daniels
Frederic H. Brown
Robert E. Hentz
Joseph L. Ryan
Paul H. Roper
Ralph J. McKenna
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
Mildred A. Westhaver
George R. Cushman
Henry F. Collins
Arthur A. Curry
Charles A. Considine
Charles W. MacRannolds
Thomas H. Conway, Jr.
Frederick H. Gould
Joseph H. Johnson

APPOINTED

Town Accountant	Ralph J. McKenna
Assistant Town Clerk	Alton E. Westhaver
Board of Registrars	Lewis M. Daniels, Chairman
	George L. Grantz
	Canute W. Lee
	Mildred A. Westhaver Clerk ex-officio
Chief of Police Department	Joseph L. Ryan
Chief of Fire Department	Paul H. Roper
Public Works Administrator	Henry A. Racicot
Supt. of Highway	James F. Connors
Supt. of Water Department	Walter R. Sullivan
Moth Supt. and Tree Warden	George F. Williams
Building Inspector	Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
Asst. Intermitt. Bldg. Inspector	William H. Moore, Jr. resigned 5/25/67
	Harry J. Schwartz appointed 6/21/67
Plumbing and Gas Inspector	Kenneth J. Powderly
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Charles A. Considine
Dog Officer and Cattle Inspector	Leo E. LeBlanc
Board of Health Nurse	Helen J. Harrington, R.N.
	Barbara B. George, R.N
Inspector of Slaughtering	John R. Brown
Supt. of Schools	Frederick C. Riel
Asst. Supt. of Schools	William H. Flaherty, Jr.
School Physicians	Dr. Orland S. Marshall resigned 9/1/67
	Dr. Harriet P. Leach Temporary appointment
School Nurses	Rita P. Freeman, R.N.
	Helen J. Rynne, R.N.
	Eileen Grady, R.N.
	Blanche V. Collins, R.N.

Selectmen - Executive Secretary	Francis X. Corliss appointed 11/6/67
Board of Public Welfare	Richard F. Conway Director of Public Assistance
Veterans' Agent	Chester C. Sandberg
Appeal Board	Joseph H. Johnson, Chairman
	Ellis E. Cram
	Frederick H. Murray
	Robert A. Dunstan
	Michael Tomyl
Alternates	Roger J. Bigold
	Bruce A. Brace resigned 11/14/67
Forest Warden	Paul H. Roper
Civil Defense Director	Charles J. Faria
Wire Inspector	Albert J. Hughes
	Humphrey F. Desmond
Industrial Commission	Arthur A. Curry, Chairman
	Claire H. Stoker, Secretary
	Gustav Wagner
	Kenneth L. Buffum
	Livio A. Buono
	Mildred A. Westhaver
	Henry F. Collins
	Raymond F. McColough
	Joseph A. Butler
	Leonard H. Harmon
	James H. McBride
	Joseph M. Burke
	George E. Lewis deceased 6/7/67
	William L. Reynolds deceased 12/7/67
Sanitarian	Robert W. Rimbach, R.S.
Health Agent	Richard R. Albanese appointed 8/15/66

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Robert E. Hentz, Chairman	Term Expires 1968
Philip H. Taylor, Vice-Chairman	Term Expires 1969
John C. Gherson, Secretary	Term Expires 1969
Stephen Berecz	Term Expires 1970
Warren J. Costedio	Term Expires 1970
Donna Flavin	Term Expires 1970
Rachel Mallett	Term Expires 1970
Donald J. Ryan	Term Expires 1970
Gerald A. Finlayson	Term Expires 1968
John P. Fitzgerald	Term Expires 1968
Howard J. Ralston	Term Expires 1968

Committee appointed under Article 8 of the 1966 Annual Town Meeting to study the methods of selling lots of low value.

Austin P. Bent, Chairman
Gustav Wagner, Vice-Chairman
Christina C. Kelly, Secretary
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis
George R. Cushman

DUMP STUDY COMMITTEE

Robert E. Seeley, Chairman	Stanley J. Bocko
Dennis H. Trump, V-Chairman	Charles E. Allen
Richard R. Albanese, Secretary	Kenneth J. Powderly
Paul F. Newman	John W. Fleming, Jr.
Frederick H. Gould	Henry A. Racicot
Warren A. Hookway	Marie M. Kyricos
Frederick G. Brown	Robert M. Gill

COMMITTEES PREVIOUSLY APPOINTED

BY-LAWS CODIFICATION COMMITTEE

Paul F. Newman, Chairman
Mildred A. Westhaver, Secretary
Arthur A. Curry

PERSONNEL BOARD

Charles W. MacRannolds, Chairman	Term Expires 1972
Robert H. Margeson, V-Chairman	Term Expires 1968
Stasia J. Rudgis, Secretary	Term Expires 1971
Frederick G. Morris	Term Expires 1971
Robert A. Olivieri	Term Expires 1969

TAX MAP COMMITTEE

Gustav Wagner, Chairman
Lawrence R. DeBenedictis, Secretary
Raymund J. Roche

RECREATION COMMITTEE

George R. Cushman, Chairman - Precinct 3
Frank P. Bernarducci, Secretary - Precinct 1
Joseph L. Ryan - Precinct 2 Jeremiah B. Mulcahy - Precinct 4
Marcello Olivieri - Precinct 5

WATER COMMITTEE

Ralph R. Bacon, Chairman ..... Precinct 4
Shirley J. Brannen, Vice-Chairman ..... Precinct 6
Ernest C. Dick ..... Precinct 3

PERMANENT SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

Vincent M. Padula, Chairman
John T. Glavine, Vice-Chairman
Robert F. Loranger, Secretary

Thomas F. Powers Jerome R. D'Addeo
Donald W. Davis Gerald A. Finlayson

NORTH BILLERICA FIRE STATION COMMITTEE

Lawrence O. Bourque, Chairman
Theodore N. Colas, Secretary

Charles J. Sullivan Paul H. Roper Roger C. Gosselin

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

COUNCIL FOR THE AGING

George R. Cushman, Chairman
Katherine R. White, Secretary

Frederick H. Gould Richard F. Conway
Dr. Warren A. Hookway Helen A. Grimes
Ralph J. McKenna Rev. Lloyd F. Martin
Frederick C. Riel

COMMITTEE FOR UPDATING THE BUILDING CODE

Philip H. Taylor, Chairman
James A. Shaw, Vice-Chairman
Thomas J. Mahoney, Secretary

Arthur C. Fillmore Lawrence R. DeBenedictis

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Gustav Wagner, Chairman
Florence M. Field, Secretary

John P. Fitzgerald Joseph Gallant
Joseph H. Johnson Howard J. Ralston
Charles O. Hallenborg

MEMBERS OF BILLERICA HISTORICAL SOCIETY COMMISSION

Robert E. Valyou, Chairman
Frederick L. Lawson, Vice-Chairman
Helen I. Magee, Secretary

William T. Desmond Isabel C. Jahnle
Neil R. Mahoney Richard D. Manning
Stuart L. Potter Mildred A. Westhaver

VOTE FOR TOWN OFFICERS IN MARCH, 1967

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Prec. 6	Total
SELECTMEN (3 Years)							
Paul F. Newman	255	456	573	233	234	245	1996
James F. Calder	281	311	248	198	313	257	1608
Robert J. Lungo	1	1		3	5	12	22
Scatterings	1		1	1			3
Blanks	12	23	22	11	8	15	91
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720
MODERATOR (1 Year)							
Marion D. Gould	427	612	709	371	443	422	2984
Scatterings	1	1					2
Blanks	122	178	135	75	117	107	734
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720
PRINCIPAL ASSESSOR (3 Years)							
Henry F. Collins	447	641	730	368	436	443	3065
Scatterings	1			1	1		3
Blanks	102	150	114	77	123	86	652
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720
BOARD OF HEALTH (3 Years)							
Warren A. Hookway	372	531	450	229	273	239	2094
Walter T. Galvin	149	227	344	180	251	261	1412
Blanks	29	33	50	37	36	29	214
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720
BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE (3 Years)							
Arthur R. Hallenborg	410	403	471	270	343	283	2180
Joseph R. Plourde	122	357	328	144	167	219	1337
Blanks	18	31	45	32	50	27	203
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720
SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Years)							
John T. Glavine	433	625	714	346	443	429	2990
Scatterings	1		1		1	1	4
Blanks	116	166	129	100	116	99	726
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

PLANNING BOARD (5 Years)

John W. Dolan	297	284	201	267	135	179	1363
Joseph H. Johnson, Jr.	166	369	505	123	148	217	1528
Roger G. Seymour	48	69	74	32	224	83	530
Scatterings	1	1					2
Blanks	38	68	64	24	53	50	297
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

CEMETERY COMMISSION (3 Years)

Paul Gladstone	155	309	411	188	229	221	1513
Ruth E. Howard	364	417	389	220	277	266	1933
Scatterings					1		1
Blanks	31	65	44	38	53	42	273
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Years)

Frederic R. Brown	218	327	268	146	144	167	1270
Kenneth L. Buffum	164	306	343	143	190	184	1330
Elaine T. Horlink	135	124	177	121	198	142	897
Scatterings	1						1
Blanks	32	34	56	36	28	36	222
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

CONSTABLES (1 Year)

Robert A. Olivieri	394	475	544	277	366	292	2348
Joseph L. Ryan	393	509	575	284	331	329	2421
Bernard W. Hart	107	161	178	97	151	139	833
George A. McGrath	98	261	186	101	113	159	918
Blanks	108	176	205	133	159	139	920
Total	1100	1582	1688	892	1120	1058	7440

BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY (5 Years)

Leonard H. Harmon	290	484	541	255	306	292	2168
Michael Tomyl	211	248	229	144	209	196	1237
Blanks	49	59	74	47	45	41	315
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

(Unexpired Term) (2 Years)

Walter W. Arakelian	279	442	210	172	231	218	1552
James J. Galvin	208	288	580	224	254	268	1822
Scatterings	4				2		6
Blanks	59	61	54	50	73	43	340
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

CHARTER COMMISSION

Walter W. Arakelian	263	379	323	199	208	255	1627
Hartwell W. Bernard	132	169	294	120	132	150	997
James F. Calder	277	362	383	223	334	303	1882
Joseph S. Collentro	93	127	160	153	125	136	794
Pauline C. Desmond	164	296	363	176	177	203	1379
John P. Fitzgerald	144	220	358	133	160	164	1179
Myrna Gluck	121	145	160	105	216	149	896
James T. Harmon	179	281	297	150	219	199	1325
Raymond F. McColough	172	344	327	131	153	184	1311
David G. McKenna	179	265	316	159	230	214	1363
John F. Monahan	318	382	456	255	263	276	1950
Bernard A. Morris	131	236	236	98	153	152	1006
Roger G. Seymour	106	163	189	106	276	149	989
Edward D. Shane	79	116	139	77	250	128	789
John J. Svrcek	113	93	114	66	77	94	557
John F. Synan	84	170	138	74	88	106	660
Lionel W. Williams	136	177	184	115	321	179	1112
Scatterings	4	1	1	3	3	1	13
Blanks	2255	3193	3158	1671	1655	1719	13651
Total	4950	7119	7596	4014	5040	4761	33480

QUESTION #1

Yes	218	245	262	207	372	252	1556
No	273	462	419	172	155	221	1702
Blanks	59	84	163	67	33	56	462
Total	550	791	844	446	560	529	3720

REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN ON THE ARTICLES OF THE WARRANT OF TOWN MEETING

MARCH 11, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 10:35 A.M., by the Moderator, Marion D. Gould.

Town Meeting Members not previously sworn were sworn by Precincts by the Town Clerk, Mildred A. Westhaver.

The following were appointed Tellers by the Moderator and sworn in by the Town Clerk: Shirley J. Brannen, Marcello Olivieri and Joseph R. Plourde was to take the place of Ralph Bacon who was not present.

Invocation was offered by Rev. Leo Harrison of St. Theresa's Parish.

The meeting joined in singing the National Anthem, led by Elaine Horlink, accompanied by Elizabeth L. Johnson at the piano.

At the request of the Moderator the meeting stood in silence for a short period in memory of the following citizens who had passed away during the preceding year: Mabel Frances Cowan, teacher in the Pollard School for many years prior to her retirement in 1943; Malcolm J. Dutton, Building Inspector 1951 to 1953; Oliver Parker Greenwood, community leader and at time of his death, a member of Billerica Housing Authority, Draft Board and Town Meeting Member, also served on Finance Committee, School Committee and other committees throughout the Town; Dr. Solomon Gunther Hajjar, School Physician at the time of his death and served on Board of Health 1940 to 1942; Chester D. Ingraham, Principal of Howe Junior High School 1961 and Principal of Memorial High School from 1962 to time of his death; Eliot K. Parkhurst, Assessor 1943 to 1948; Charles L. Ritchie, member of Board of Registrars 1946 to 1960; Joseph Vocell and Thomas O'Neill.

The Moderator was given unanimous consent to omit the reading of the articles and to refer to them by subject matter.

The Moderator was given unanimous consent to omit the reading of the Warrant and return of service, and proceed with the order of the day.

ARTICLE 1. Voted unanimously to elect John B. Keaney to the Bowers Fund Commission for a term of five years.

ARTICLE 2. Voted unanimously to appoint the Board of Selectmen as Fence Viewers, Joseph L. Ryan and Robert A. Olivieri as Keepers of the Lock-up, and Thomas Connell and Robert Innis as Surveyors of Wood and Lumber.

ARTICLE 3. Report of the By-Law Codification Committee was omitted temporarily.

Charles W. MacRannolds reported for the Personnel Board stating that the Personnel Board recommendations were made under Article 4 and would be discussed under that heading.

John W. Fleming reported for the Junior High School Building Committee. It was moved that the Committee be dismissed. An amendment was made to have dismissal take effect after the School Building Assistance Commission has finally calculated the state grant to the Town and this was so voted. The motion as amended was then so voted. The Junior High School Building Committee was given a rising vote of thanks for their tremendous amount of work on this project.

The Moderator stated that the report of the Recreation Commission had been included in the Town Report.

Gustav Wagner reported for the Tax Map Committee. Voted that the report be accepted as read.

Voted to hear report of Permanent School Building Committee immediately prior to Article 116. Unanimous.

Theodore Colas reported for the North Billerica Fire Station Building Committee. The report was turned over to the Town Clerk.

The following reports were included in the Town Report: Conservation Committee, Billerica Housing Authority and Shawsheen Valley Regional Vocational/Technical School District.

Philip H. Taylor reported for the Building Code Committee. Voted that the report be accepted and Committee continued, to report at the 1968 Annual Town Meeting, for the purpose of studying any pertinent bills passed by the State Legislature.

At request of Town Meeting Members, the Moderator asked the meeting if they would like to suspend rules and allow questions to be asked of the Fire Station Building Committee, and this was so voted. The Building Inspector was questioned about occupancy permit and he made a brief statement about the present status of the building.

Voted unanimously to hear report of Tax Title Committee just prior to Article 10.

By-Law Codification Committee Report to be heard later in the meeting when someone was present to report.

Voted to recess at this time until 1:00 P.M.

Meeting called to order at 1:20 P.M. with 147 Town Meeting Members present.

ARTICLE 4. The following action was taken on items under Article 4 as set forth below.

Town Engineer and Public Works Administrator, Salary. The main motion as printed in the article: $12,840.00 minimum, $13,278.70 1st step,

$13,717.40 maximun. An amendment was made that the Public Works Administrator's salary be kept at $12,000.00 at the present time and delete minimum and delete maximum. A second amendment was made to set this salary at $12,000.00 minimum, $12,840.00 1st step, and $13,278.70 maximum. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator asked for and was given unanimous consent to offer the main motion first. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 71 votes in the affirmative and 108 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to set the Public Works Administrator's salary at $12,000.00 minimum, $12,840.00 1st step, and $13,278.70 maximum, was then put and this motion was so voted.

The Moderator was excused from reading the three figures as set forth in each line under this article.

Police Department, Junior Building Custodian and Maintenance Man, Salary. The main motion as printed in the article: $5,570.68 minimum, $6,005.78 1st step, $6,455.35 maximum. An amendment was made to set this salary the same as Police Department, Patrolman, $6,061.55 minimum, $6,502.39 1st step, $6,833.02 maximum, and this was so voted.

Town Hall, Building Inspector, Salary. The main motion as printed in the article: $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $7,935.12 maximum. An amendment was made to set the salary schedule for Building Inspector at $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $8,500.00 maximum. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to set the salary schedule for Building Inspector at $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $8,500.00 maximum was so voted. Following action on Accountant's salary, notice was given for reconsideration of the Building Inspector's salary at a later time. Following action on Milk Inspector and Sanitarian, a motion was made for reconsideration of Building Inspector, Salary. The Moderator was in doubt of the result of voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 102 votes in the affirmative and 29 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion was made that figures as stated in Article 4 be accepted as Building Inspector, Salary, $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $7,935.12 maximum. An amendment was made to set the sum of $8,500.00 for maximum, Building Inspector, Salary. Following discussion, the previous question was moved. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 98 votes in the affirmative and 37 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. The motion to set the sum of $8,500.00 for maximum, Building Inspector, Salary, the other two figures the same as printed under the article, was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote, with 58 votes in the affirmative and 85 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion that figures as stated in Article 4 be accepted as Building Inspector, Salary, was so voted.

Town Hall, Director Public Health, Salary. The main motion as printed in the article: $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $7,935.12 maximum. An amendment was made to set the salary of the Director of

Public Health as follows: $8,090.84 minimum, $8,531.68 1st step, $8,971.68 maximum. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion, as just stated, was put to a rising vote. There were 76 votes in the affirmative and 85 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to accept the figures as printed in the article, $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $7,935.12 maximum, was so voted.

Town Hall, Accountant, Salary. The main motion as printed in the article: $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $7,935.12 maximum. An amendment was made to change only the maximum, to $8,500.00. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion for Accountant, Salary, to be $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 1st step, $8,500.00 maximum, was put to a voice vote and was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote with 36 votes in the affirmative and 107 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The main motion as printed in the article was then so voted.

Notice was given for reconsideration later in the meeting of Director of Public Health, Salary.

Town Hall, Gas and Plumbing Inspector, Salary. The main motion as printed in the article: $6,612.60 minimum, $7,053.44 1st step, $7,494.28 maximum. A motion was made that the maximum salary for Gas and Plumbing Inspector be set at $8,000.00, with minimum and first step as stated above, and this motion was lost. The main motion, as stated above was so voted. Notice was served for later reconsideration of Gas and Plumbing Inspector, Salary. Following completion of action on Building Inspector, Salary, a motion was made for reconsideration of Gas and Plumbing Inspector, Salary, and this motion was lost.

A motion was made that when the meeting adjourned today it reconvene Monday, March 13th at 7:00 P.M. and continue each evening on the 14th, 15th and 16th, no meeting on Friday, March 17th, and reconvene on Saturday, March 18th, at 10.00 A.M. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The above motion was then put, and this motion was lost. A motion was made that when meeting adjourns tonight it reconvene next Saturday at 8:30 A.M. A substitute motion was made to reconvene next Tuesday night at 7:30 P.M. An amendment was made to reconvene Saturday at 9:00 A.M. The motion to meet next Tuesday night at 7:30 was put to a vote and the Moderator was in doubt as to result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 119 votes in the affirmative and 29 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion for reconsideration of the vote to meet Tuesday night at 7:30 P.M. was lost. It was moved and voted that when the Tuesday night session adjourns it reconvene on Saturday at 9:00 A.M.

Part Time Employees. Dog Officer, Salary. The Selectmen reported they had been offered a contract for combined position of Dog Officer and Cattle Inspector for $2850.00. It was moved and voted to postpone action on combining Dog Officer and Cattle Inspector until first order of business on next Saturday morning, the Selectmen to bring in legal opinion regarding legality of such a contract.

Part Time Employees, Milk Inspector. The main motion as printed in the warrant: $2,150.00 per year. A motion was made to set the salary of the Milk Inspector at $2,250.00 per year. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 76 votes in the affirmative and 69 votes in the negative and the motion setting salary of Milk Inspector at $2,250.00 per year was so voted.

It was moved and voted to reconsider Town Hall, Director of Public Health, Salary. Voted that it is concensus of meeting that Director of Public Health be given maximum salary. Moved that the salary of Director of Public Health be set at $7,053.44 minimum, $7,494.28 first step, $7,935.12 maximum. An amendment was made that the Director of Public Health now get maximum of $7,935.12 and this was so voted. The motion to set salary of Director of Public Health as stated above, with directive about maximum, was so voted.

Motion was made for reconsideration of first item in this article by Mr. Young. The Moderator ruled that the time limit of one hour had expired. Mr. Young asked to go on record as objecting to the ruling of Moderator on this item. Mr. Brainerd appealed the decision of the Chair. The Moderator asked Town Meeting Members if they wished to appeal decision of the Chair and the vote was in the negative. (The question was whether time limit applied to individual items in Article 4 or the completed article.)

A motion was made that all prior service amounting to the required years for maximum compensation be allowed for the positions under this Article 4, and this motion was lost.

It was moved and voted to accept Article 4, as amended, with exception of Dog Officer and Cattle Inspector items. Motion for reconsideration was lost.

Voted that Article 4 be accepted as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Position	Yr. Wk.	Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
Town Eng. & P.W. Admin.	Yr.	$12,000.00	$12,840.00	$13,278.70	
	wk.	246.92	255.35	263.79	
Princ. Clk. & Off. Mgr.	Yr.	6,224.09	6,442.62	6,666.35	
	wk.	119.69	123.89	128.19	
Billing Machine Op. (2)	Yr.	3,644.16	3,781.44	3,897.92	40
	wk.	70.08	72.72	74.96	
	hr.	1.752	1.818	1.874	
Sr. Clk. (Water Collector)	Yr.			1,600.00	P.T.
Water & Sewer Supt.	Yr.	7,230.78	7,451.30	7,712.29	
	wk.	139.05	143.29	148.31	
Highway Supt.	Yr.	7,008.79	7,241.06	7,488.19	
	wk.	134.78	139.25	144.00	
Cemetery Supt.	Yr.	6,663.40	7,003.95	7,242.34	
	wk.	128.14	134.69	139.27	

Tree Warden					
Park & Moth Supt.	Yr.	6,565.79	6,796.74	7,031.56	
	wk.	126.26	130.70	135.22	
Chemist	Yr.	6,266.37	6,579.41	6,706.55	
	wk.	120.50	126.52	128.97	
Sewerage Plant Op. (2)	Yr.	5,999.24	6,177.60	6,376.76	44
	wk.	115.37	118.80	122.63	
	hr.	2.622	2.70	2.787	
Filter Operator - Chief (2)	Yr.	6,848.44	7,096.44	7,368.40	48
	wk.	131.72	136.47	141.70	
	hr.	2.765	2.843	2.953	
Filter Operator - Asst. (2)	Yr.	6,626.88	6,709.56	6,819.28	48
	wk.	127.44	129.03	131.14	
	hr.	2.655	2.688	2.732	
Filter Operator (2)	Yr.	6,187.48	6,379.88	6,599.32	48
	wk.	118.99	122.69	126.91	
	hr.	2.479	2.556	2.644	
Foreman - All Depts. (2)	Yr.	6,373.12	6,622.72	6,853.60	40
	wk.	122.56	127.36	131.80	
	hr.	3.064	3.184	3.295	
Spec. Hvy. Mtr. Eq. Op. (2)	Yr.	6,258.72	6,441.78	6,691.36	40
(Grader Operator)	wk.	120.36	123.88	128.68	
	hr.	3.009	3.097	3.217	
Diesel & Motor Equip. (2)	Yr.	5,753.28	6,073.60	6,371.04	40
Repairman and Welder	wk.	110.64	116.80	122.52	
	hr.	2.765	2.92	3.063	
Hvy. Mtr. Eq. Op.-Spec. (2)	Yr.	5,455.84	5,636.80	5,821.92	40
Mtr. Equip. Op. (All Depts.)	wk.	104.92	108.40	111.96	
Hvy. Mtr. Eq. Op. (All Depts.)	hr.	2.623	2.71	2.799	
Tree Climber	Yr.	5,408.00	5,570.24	5,753.28	40
	wk.	104.00	107.12	110.64	
	hr.	2.60	2.678	2.766	
Meter Repairman (2)	Yr.	5,044.00	5,224.96	5,385.12	40
	wk.	97.00	100.48	103.56	
	hr.	2.425	2.512	2.589	
Spec. Mtr. Eq. Op. & Lab. (2)	Yr.	5,064.80	5,156.32	5,224.96	40
(All Departments)	wk.	97.40	99.16	100.48	
Mtr. Equip. Op. and Lab.					
(All Departments)	hr.	2.435	2.479	2.512	
Pub. Wk. Maint. Man	hr.	2.435	2.479	2.512	40
(All Departments)	hr.	2.435	2.479	2.512	40
Carpenters-Laborers					
(All Departments)	hr.	2.435	2.479	2.512	40
Meter Reader (All Depts.)	hr.	2.435	2.479	2.512	40
Laborer - All Depts. (2)	Yr.	4,638.40	4,790.24	4,950.40	40
	wk.	89.00	92.12	95.40	
	hr.	2.225	2.303	2.38	

PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

Position	Yr. Wk.	Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
Fire Chief	Yr.	$ 9,037.22		$ 9,478.06	
Police Chief	wk.	173.79		181,27	
Assistant Fire Chief	Yr.	8,375.96		8,816.80	
	wk.	161.07		169.55	
Captain (Fire Dept.)	Yr.	7,384.07	7,824.91	8,155.54	48
Sgt. (Police Department)	wk.	142.00	150.47	156.83	40
Sgt. Inspector		142.00			
		Plus $10. per week for asgmt.			40
Fireman Mechanic		142.00			
		Plus $10. per week for asgmt.			48
Firefighter	Yr.	6,061.55	6,502.39	6,833.02	48
Patrolman	wk.	116.56	125.04	131.40	
Patrolman Inspector		116.56			
		Plus $10. per week for asgmt.			40
Fingerprinter-Photographer		116.56			
		Plus $10. per week for asgmt.			40
Jr. Building Custodian (2)	Yr.	6,061.55	6,502.39	6,833.02	40
and Maintenance Man	wk.	116.56	125.04	131.40	
Patrolman Perm.-Interm.	hr.			2.755	P.T.
Police Matron	hr.			2.755	P.T.
Senior Clerk Stenographer	hr.			2.061	P.T.
Call Fireman	hr.			2.57	P.T.

TOWN HALL

Position	Yr. Wk.	Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
Building Inspector	Yr.	$ 7,053.44	$ 7,494.28	$ 7,935.12	
	wk.	135.64	144.12	152.59	
Building Insp. Perm.-Interm.	hr.			2.85	P.T.
Director Public Health	Yr.	7,053.44	7,494.28	7,935.12	
	wk.	135.64	144.12	152.59	
Accountant	Yr.	7,053.44	7,494.28	7,935.12	
	wk.	135.64	144.12	152.59	
Gas & Plumbing Inspector	Yr.	6,612.60	7,053.44	7,494.28	
	wk.	127.16	135.64	144.12	
Jr. Building Custodian (2)	Yr.	5,364.32	5,593.12	5,845.32	40
	wk.	103.16	107.56	112.41	
	hr.	2.579	2.689	2.809	
Public Health Nurse (Senior)	Yr.	5,821.75	6,048.78	6,313.28	40
Public Health Nurse	Yr.	5,221.75	5,448.78	5,713.28	40
	wk.	100.41	104.78	109.87	
Principal Clerk	Yr.	4,378.40	4,515.68	4,675.84	40
	wk.	84.20	86.84	89.92	
	hr.	2.105	2.171	2.248	
Sr. Clerk-Stenographer (2)	Yr.	4,010.24	4,147.52	4,286.88	40

Senior Clerk-Typist	wk.	77.12	79.76	82.44	
	hr.	1.928	1.994	2.061	
Jr. Clerk-Stenographer (2)	Yr.	3,644.16	3,781.44	3,897.92	40
Junior Clerk-Typist	wk.	70.08	72.72	74.96	
	hr.	1.752	1.818	1.874	

PART TIME EMPLOYEES

Position	Yr. Wk.	Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.
Dog Officer	Yr.			$ 1,600.00	P.T.
Cattle Inspector	Yr.			250.00	P.T.
Clerk to Board of Selectmen	Yr.			600.00	P.T.
Civil Defense Director	Yr.			1,300.00	P.T.
Inspector of Wires	Yr.			1,800.00	P.T.
Inspector of Wires (Assist.)	Yr.			800.00	P.T.
Milk Inspector & Sanitarian	Yr.			2,250.00	P.T.
Sealer of Weights & Measurer	Yr.			1,200.00	P.T.
Veterans Agent	Yr.			1,500.00	P.T.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Summer Program — 8 weeks (6 to 8 hour day)			
Director	wk.	85.00	P.T.
Assistant Director	wk.	70.00	P.T.
Leaders - Nature Study Leader	wk.	65.00	P.T.
Aides	wk.	60.00	P.T
Twi-League			
Baseball Coach	Season	160.00	P.T.
Basketball Coach	Season	160.00	P.T.
Winter Program - 15 weeks (4 hr. session)			
Director	Season	320.00	P.T.
Assistant Director	Season	240.00	P.T.
Instructors			
Twirling	Season	75.00	P.T.
Bowling (1st)	Session	13.00	P.T.
Bowling (2nd)	Session	12.00	P.T.
Modern Dance	Session	10.00	P.T.
Volleyball	Session	10.00	P.T.
Basketball Manager	Session	13.00	P.T.
Leaders (Saturday only)	Session	15.00	P.T.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT

Wardens	Hr.	2.14	P.T.
Deputy Wardens	Hr.	1.88	P.T.
Clerks	Hr.	2.14	P.T.
Deputy Clerks	Hr.	1.88	P.T.
Inspectors	Hr.	1.88	P.T.
Deputy Inspectors	Hr.	1.88	P.T.
Counters	Hr.	1.61	P.T.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Chairman	Yr.	325.00	P.T.
Members (2)	Yr.	each 225.00	P.T.
Member Ex-Officio	Yr.	Town Clerk 225.00	P.T.
Listers	Hr.	1.70	P.T.

(1) Annual rates are controlling.
(2) Weekly rates are controlling.

ARTICLE 5. A motion was made to set the salaries of elective officers as stated in Article 5. Following discussion, the previous question was moved, and this motion was lost. A motion was made for a division of Article 5 so as to vote individually on every salary in it. This motion was lost. A motion was made to set salary under Item 5 at $8,173.00. A motion was made to set salary under Item 4 at $8,500.00. A motion was made to set salary under Item 5 at $8,500.00. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. Under Item 4, Collector of Taxes, the motion to set salary at $8,500.00 was lost. The main motion to set salary at $8,173.00 was so voted. Under Item 5, Principal Assessor, the motion to set the salary at $8,500.00 was lost. The motion to set the salary at $8,173.00 was so voted. Motion to fix the compensation of elective officers as set forth below was so voted. A motion for reconsideration of Article 5 was lost.

1	Selectmen (5)	$1,000.00 each
2	Town Clerk	7,379.00
3	Treasurer	6,923.00
4	Collector of Taxes	8,173.00
5	Principal Assessor	8,173.00
6	Associate Assessors (2)	1,500.00 each
7	Board of Health - Chairman	500.00
8	Board of Health - Other (2)	300.00 each
9	Board of Public Welfare (3)	300.00 each

Voted to adjourn to Tuesday, March 14, 1967 at 7:30 P.M.
Adjourned at 5:10 P.M.

MARCH 14, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 7:50 P.M. with 146 Town Meeting Members present.

ARTICLE 6. The Moderator explained the pass system to be used under this article. Under Article 6 the following amounts were voted:

100	Selectmen	
101	Salaries	$ 5,000.00
102	Clerk Wages	850.00
103	Expenses	1,935.00
104	Out of State Travel	200.00
110	Accountant	
111	Salaries	7,755.00
112	Clerk Wages	2,000.00
113	Expenses	650.00

114	Capital Outlay	75.00
115	Out of State Travel	200.00
120	Treasurer	
121	Salary	6,794.00
122	Clerk Wages	8,243.00
123	Expenses	1,799.00
124	Perfecting Tax Titles	500.00
125	Other Finance Expenses	200.00
127	Capital Outlay	125.00
130	Collector of Taxes	
131	Salary	8,039.00
132	Clerk Wages	11,846.00
133	Expenses	3,250.00
134	Tax Sale Expense	450.00
135	Capital Outlay	265.00
140	Assessors	
141	Salary (Principal)	7,986.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)	3,000.00
143	Clerk Wages	11,858.00
144	Expenses	4,390.00
145	Capital Outlay	100.00
146	Out of State Travel	100.00
150	Town Clerk	
151	Salary	7,259.00
152	Clerk Wages	4,217.00
153	Expenses	1,750.00
154	Capital Outlay	150.00
155	Out of State Travel	200.00
160	Board of Registrars	
161	Salaries	1,000.00
162	Clerk Wages	4,038.00
163	Expenses	4,200.00
165	Election Department	
166	Salaries	2,700.00
167	Expenses	1,150.00
170	Town Hall	
171	Salary	5,750.00
172	Vacation Replacement	452.00
173	Expenses	3,075.00
175	Legal Department	
176	Expenses	7,000.00
177	Small Claims	1,000.00
180	Finance Committee	
181	Expenses	900.00
182	Clerk Wages	600.00
185	Planning Board	
186	Clerk Wages	712.00
187	Expenses	2,790.00
188	Engineering Service	7,540.00

189	Greater Lowell Plan District	2,681.00
190	Board of Appeals	
191	Expenses	1,100.00
192	Clerk Wages	350.00
195	Personnel Board	
196	Expenses	139.00
197	Capital Outlay	25.00
198	Clerk Wages	150.00
200	Police Department	
201	Salaries	251,175.00
202	Clerk Wages	2,947.00
203	Expenses	23,859.00
204	Ambulance Expenses	1,547.00
205	Capital Outlay	450.00
206	Matron Services	750.00
210	Fire Department	
211	Salaries	327,608.00
212	Clerk Wages	3,000.00
213	Expenses	23,752.00
214	Forest Fire Patrol	200.00
215	Capital Outlay	1,500.00
220	Civil Defense	
221	Salary	1,300.00
222	Clerk Wages	850.00
223	Expenses	3,950.00
230	Building Department	
231	Salaries	18,134.00
232	Clerk Wages	4,967.00
233	Expenses	3,350.00
234	Demolition	2,000.00
235	Out of State Travel	100.00
236	Capital Outlay	100.00
240	Wire Inspector	
241	Salary	1,800.00
242	Asst. Salary	800.00
243	Expenses	550.00
250	Sealer of Weights	
251	Salary	1,200.00
252	Expenses	600.00
260	Dog Officer	
261 & 262	Salary and Expenses	3,500.00
300	Cattle Inspector	
301	Salary	250.00
310	Board of Health	
311	Salaries	8,626.00
312	Clerk Wages	3,725.00
313	Expenses	7,750.00
314	Directors Expenses	1,100.00
315	Garbage Contract	30,000.00
316	Hospitalization	6,000.00

317	Board Expenses	300.00
318	Engineering Services	200.00
319	Contract Medical Expenses	1,500.00
320	Public Health Nurse	
321	Salaries	10,838.00
322	Expenses	1,500.00
330	Milk Inspector	
331	Salary	2,250.00
332	Expenses	700.00
400	Public Works	
401	Salaries	282,174.00
402	Overtime	16,000.00
403	Out of State Travel	200.00
404	Expenses	32,400.00
406	Capital Outlay	2,000.00
410	Highway Department	
411	Expenses	36,300.00
412	Equipment Rental	4,000.00
413	Road Machinery	5,000.00
414	Tar & Oil	30,000.00
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,500.00
416	Chapter 90 Construction	11,900.00*
417	Snow and Sand	50,000.00
418	Street Lighting	35,000.00
419	Bituminous Concrete	20,000.00
420	Surveys & Engineering	7,600.00
421	Sidewalk Repair	2,000.00
450	Water Department	
451	Expenses	44,000.00
452	Chemicals and Laboratory Supplies	30,000.00
460	Park & Tree Department	
461	Expenses	3,000.00
462	Poison Ivy	500.00
463	Moth Control	1,000.00
464	Parks and Playgrounds	2,000.00
465	Dutch Elm	800.00
470	Sewerage Department	
471	Expenses	3,500.00
500	Welfare Department	
501	Salaries	20,340.00
502	Administration	500.00
510	Welfare Benefits	
511	To Be Appropriated	227,600.00
570	Department of Veteran's Services	
571	Salary	1,500.00
572	Expenses	530.00
573	Clerk Wages	1,750.00
575	Benefit Payments	70,000.00
600	School Department	
601	Salaries & Wages	2,307,143.00

602	Expenses	749,043.00
603	Out of State Travel	1,000.00
604	Vocational Education	11,000.00
650	Regional Vocational School	
651	Operating Cost Assessment	1,849.00
701	Standpipe Construction	4,000.00
702	Water Works	30,000.00
703	Water Mains (1954)	10,000.00
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00
705	Water Mains (1956)	20,000.00
706	Ditson School	20,000.00
707	Parker School	35,000.00
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00
709	Nutting Lake School	32,000.00
710	Water Extension	28,000.00
711	Jr. High Addition	80,000.00
712	Dutile School	35,000.00
713	J. F. Kennedy School	60,000.00
714	Sewer and Building	20,000.00
715	Sewer Construction	60,000.00
716	Fire Station	20,000.00
750	Interest Payments	
751	Bond Interest	159,886.00
752	Short Term Interest	35,000.00
800	Recreation Commission	
801	Salaries	10,980.00
802	Expenses	3,402.00
803	Golden Age	500.00
804	Capital Outlay	180.00
810	Cemetery	
811	Salaries	13,000.00
812	Expenses	1,600.00
850	Unclassified	
851	Town Report	3,516.80
852	Memorial Day	1,500.00
853	Building Insurance	16,000.00
854	Group Insurance	53,000 00
855	Workmen's Compensation	5,000.00
856	V.F.W.	200.00
857	D.A.V.	200.00
858	V.F.W.	200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk	275.00
890	Reserve Fund	32,000.00
	Total	

The following action was taken on items that were passed under Article 6:

Item 101. Selectmen, Clerk Wages. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for Selectmen, Clerk Wages. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on Item 101 until after action is taken on Article 71, and this was so voted. Voted that $850.00 be raised and appropriated for this item.

Item 172. Town Hall, Vacation Replacement. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $452.00 for Town Hall, Vacation Replacement. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $480.00 for Vacation Replacement and Sick Leave under this item. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 57 votes in the affirmative and 77 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The original motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $452.00 for Town Hall, Vacation Replacement was so voted.

Item 188. Planning Board, Engineering Services. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,540.00 for Engineering Services for Planning Board. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on Item 188 until after Article 79 in the Warrant, and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,540.00 for Engineering Services for Planning Board was so voted.

Item 201. Police Department, Salaries. It was moved and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $251,175.00 for Police Department, Salaries.

Item 261, 262, 263, 301. Dog Officer Salary, Expenses, Use of Kennels, and Cattle Inspector, Salary. It was moved and voted to postpone action on Items 261, 262, 263, and 301, as stated above, until the first order of business next Saturday.

Voted unanimously that items 261, 262, 263, Dog Officers Salary and Expenses and Use of Kennels, be taken up after Article 73.

Voted unanimously that Item 301, Cattle Inspector Salary, be taken up after Article 73. A motion was made and seconded that $1,600.00 be raised for Item 261, Dog Officer Salary. This was followed by an amendment that $3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the Salary and Expense of the Dog Officer, and this was so voted.

Item 263, Use of Kennels, was dismissed.

Item 301, Cattle Inspector Salary, was voted unanimously to raise and appropriate $250.00.

Item 315. Board of Health, Garbage Contract. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 for Item 315, Garbage Contract. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on Item 315 until the 3rd item of business next Saturday, and this was so voted. Voted that the sum of $30,000.00 be raised and appropriated for this item.

Item 318. Board of Health, Engineering Services. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for Board of Health, Engineering Services. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on this item until after action on Article 79, and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for Board of Health, Engineering Services, was so voted.

Item 319. Board of Health, Contract Medical Expenses. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for Board of Health, Contract Medical Expenses. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on this item until immediately after Article 100. This motion was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 94 votes in the affirmative and 46 votes in the negative and the motion to postpone was so voted. Voted that the sum of $1,500.00 be raised and appropriated for this item.

Item 404. Public Works, Expenses. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $31,000.00 for Public Works, Expenses. A motion was made and seconded for $31,400.00. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate $32,400.00 for Public Works, Expenses. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate $32,400.00 for Public Works, Expenses, was then so voted.

Item 411. Highway Department, Expenses. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $28,300.00 for Highway Department, Expenses. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $36,300.00 for this item. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $36,300.00 was so voted.

Item 412. Highway Department, Equipment Rental. It was moved and seconded that $4,000.00 be raised and appropriated, and moved and seconded that $5,000.00 be raised and appropriated. It was moved and voted to postpone action on this item until after Article 38. At that time it was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for Highway Department, Equipment Rental.

Item 414. Highway Department, Tar and Oil. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $15,000.00 for Highway Department, Tar and Oil. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 under this item, and this was so voted.

Item 416. Highway Department, Chapter 90 Construction. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $11,900.00 for Chapter 90, Construction, and instruct the Treasurer to obtain a short term loan bond, when necessary, of $35,700.00 making a total of $47,600.00.

Item 417. Highway Department, Snow and Sand. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000.00 for Snow and Sand under this item.

Item 418. Highway Department, Street Lighting. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $35,000.00 for Street Lighting. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion for $35,000.00 for Street Lighting was unanimously voted.

Item 419. Highway Department, Bituminous Concrete. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000.00 for Bituminous Concrete.

Item 420. Highway Department, Surveys and Engineering. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,600.00 for Surveys and Engineering. This was followed by a motion to postpone action on this item until after Article 79. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to postpone action on this item until after Article 79 was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,600.00 for Surveys and Engineering was so voted.

Item 501. Welfare Department, Salaries. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,340.00 for Welfare Department, Salaries. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and unanimously voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,340.00 for Welfare Department, Salaries, was unanimously voted.

Item 502. Welfare Department, Administration. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for Welfare Department, Administration.

Item 510. Welfare Benefits. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $227,600.00 for Welfare Benefits.

Item 603. School Department, Out of State Travel. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for School Department, Out of State Travel.

Item 852. Memorial Day. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for Memorial Day. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for this item. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for Memorial Day was so voted. A motion for reconsideration of Item 852 was lost.

Item 853. Building Insurance. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $16,000.00 for Building Insurance.

ARTICLE 7. Voted unanimously that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1968, and to issue note or notes as may be required for a period of not more than one year, in accordance with Section 4 and Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 8. Voted unanimously that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1967, and to issue note or notes as may be required for a period of not more than one year, in accordance with Section 4 and Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $18,324.00 and to transfer $4,466.75 from State Aid.

ARTICLE 10. The Moderator called for the report of the Tax Title Study Committee.

It was moved and voted to adjourn until 9:00 A.M., Saturday, March 18, 1967.

MARCH 18, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 10:20 A.M. with 139 Town Meeting Members present.

Voted that Article 89 would be the first order of business next Saturday.

Voted unanimously that Item 261, Dog Officer Salary, be taken up following Article 73.

Voted unanimously that Item 262, Dog Officer Expense, be taken up after Article 73.

Voted unanimously that Item 263 be taken up after Article 73.

Voted unanimously that Item 301, Cattle Inspector, Salary be taken up after Article 73.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 for Item 315, Board of Health, Garbage Contract.

Paul F. Newman reported for the By-Law Codification Committee. It was moved and unanimously voted that this report be accepted as a report of progress and that the By-Law Codification Committee be continued.

Russell A. Young reported for the Sign By-Law Committee. It was moved and unanimously voted that this report be acepted as a report of progress and the Committee be continued to report with proper By-Law at the next annual town meeting.

The Moderator reported Report of Finance Sub-Committee on Board of Public Works was printed on Page 6 of Finance Committee booklet. A motion was made that the report be accepted as submitted and the sub-committee be dismissed. Following discussion, the previous question

was moved and voted. It was then voted that the report of the sub-committee be acepted and the committee dismissed.

Austin P. Bent reported for the Tax Title Study Committee. It was moved and voted that the report be accepted and the present committee retained to report at the next Annual Town Meeting with recommendations of methods for disposing of land of tax title property.

A motion was made to reconsider report of Finance Sub-Committee on Board of Public Works. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 76 votes in the affirmative and 60 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. (Not a two-thirds vote).

ARTICLE 10. (cont.) A motion was made that Article 10 be accepted as written. A motion was made to amend Article 10 by deleting everything after the word "procedure" and inserting the words "only when such sale is deemed by the Board of Selectmen to be of an emergency nature or for industrial or business purposes beneficial to the Town."

Notice was given for reconsideration later of Garbage Contract item.

The amendment to delete everything after the word "procedure" and inserting the words "only when such sale is deemed by the Board of Selectmen to be of an emergency nature or for industrial or business purposes beneficial to the Town" was so voted. The main motion as amended was so voted: That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the property taken by the Town under Tax Title Procedure only when such sale is deemed by the Board of Selectmen to be of an emergency nature or for industrial or business purposes beneficial to the Town.

ARTICLE 11. Voted that Article 11 be dismissed.

Voted that Article 49 be moved forward to be heard at this time.

ARTICLE 49. Voted unanimously that the sum of $1,754,000.00 is appropriated for the purpose of constructing water main extensions of not less than six inches or larger in diameter, a force main of sixteen inches in diameter and additions and improvements to the existing water treatment plant, all substantially as recommended for the first stage of construction by the Town's consulting engineers, Camp, Dresser & McKee, in its report to the Town dated September 28, 1964; that to raise this appropriation the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow $1,754,000.00 under Chapter 364 of the Acts of 1966;

Further voted: that the sum of $546,000.00 is appropriated for the purpose of constructing a standpipe substantially as recommended in said report; that to raise this appropriation the Treasurer with the ap-

proval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow $546,000.00 under Section 8 (4) of Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended;

Further voted: that the Board of Selectmen is authorized to acquire all necessary land and easements thereto by gift, purchase or eminent domain and to apply for, accept and expend any Federal and State aid for these projects, provided that the amount of the borrowing for each project hereunder shall be reduced by the amount of Federal and State aid received for that project.

Voted to reconsider Item 315, Garbage Contract, at this time.

Voted to adjourn for lunch. Adjourned at 12:10 P.M.

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 P.M. with 145 Town Meeting Members present.

A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 for Item 315, Garbage Contract. A motion was made that this item be postponed until the last order of business of this Town Meeting. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to postpone this item until the last order of business of this Town Meeting was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 for Item 315, Garbage Contract, was so voted. (The Moderator took consensus of opinion of Town Meeting Members on whether another year they wished contract for garbage bids to be open to other than Billerica residents. The concensus was that the Town did not wish these bids open to other areas.)

A motion was made that when this meeting adjourns it reconvenes next Saturday morning at 9:30 A.M. An amendment was made to reconvene Monday night at 7:30 P.M., and then Saturday morning at 9:30 A.M., and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 12. Voted that the Town adopt the following By-Law: No contract for the furnishing of goods or services shall be valid unless, prior to the performance thereof, a certificate shall have been attached thereto by the Department Head or his authorized representative certifying that an appropriation in the full amount of the contract price for the current year is available therefor. No obligation shall be incurred and no expenditure shall be made for goods or services until a requisition or purchase order therefor has been issued by the department concerned and a certificate attached thereto by the Department Head or his authorized representative certifying that there are sufficient funds in the appropriate account to pay the entire amount of such expenditure or obligation.

ARTICLE 13. A motion was made that no action be taken on Article 13. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,090.69 to pay bills as itemized under Article 13. A motion was made to reduce the figure of $9,090.69 to figure of $8,669.44 by deducting bills of Emmons, Fleming & Bienvenu in the amount of $421.25 from the motion. Following

discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to make the total figure $8,669.44 by deducting bill of Emmons, Fleming & Bienvenu in the amount of $421.25, was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,090.69 to pay bills as itemized under Article 13 was put to a rising vote. There were 150 votes in the affirmative and 14 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. A motion for reconsideration of Article 13 was lost.

ARTICLE 14. A motion was made that no action be taken under Article 14. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,063.55 to pay bills as specified under Article 14 and this was so voted. A motion for reconsideration of Article 14 was lost.

ARTICLE 15. Voted to accept the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 22D, authorizing the Town to remove vehicles which impede snow removal process.

ARTICLE 16. Voted that the sum of $1,100,000.00 is appropriated for the construction of sewerage systems and sewerage treatment and disposal facilities; that to raise this amount the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow $1,100,000.00 under Section 8 (15) of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and that the Board of Selectmen is authorized to take all necessary steps to carry out this project, including to apply for, accept and expend any available Federal or State Aid for the project, provided that the amount of the borrowing hereunder shall be reduced by the amount of Federal or State aid received. This was voted with 146 in the affirmative and 7 in the negative.

ARTICLE 17. Voted that Article 17 be dismissed.

A motion was made to bring forward Articles 72 and 73 at this time and this motion was lost.

ARTICLE 18. A motion was made that the Town, in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 736, of the Acts of 1964 and the provision of General Laws, Chapter 83, and the amendments thereto, shall pay 55 per cent of the estimated cost of its system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal. Mr. Dyer answered questions pertaining to this article and gave approximate figures as to what the cost of the sewage extension would be to abutting owners of average size lots, approximate cost for house connection, and methods of payment. A motion was made that this article be postponed to the second order of business next Saturday. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that this article be postponed to the second order of business next Saturday was then put by the Moderator and this motion was lost. An amendment to the main motion was made that the Town's percentage under this article be 75 per cent. A motion was made that the Town's percentage under this article be 60 per cent. Another motion

was made that the Town's percentage be 25 per cent, and still another motion was made that the Town's percentage be 45 per cent. Following discussion, the previous question was moved. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of a voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 84 votes in the affirmative and 54 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. A motion was made to lay Article 18 on the table to be brought forth at the end of this Warrant. The Moderator put the motion to lay Article 18 on the table and this was so voted. (The Moderator explained that the understanding was that this article would be brought back at the end of the Warrant.)

ARTICLE 19. It was moved and voted to postpone any action on this article until after Article 18 has been acted on.

ARTICLE 20. Voted that Article 20 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 21. Voted unanimously to authorize the Board of Selectmen to make application for an interest-free advance of Federal Funds under Public Law 560 for the preliminary planning of a Town-wide system of main surface drains and stream improvements, said preliminary planning to include drawings, cost estimates and report upon proposed public work.

ARTICLE 22. A motion was made that Article 22 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,773.00 to employ and equip two permanent police officers for the Billerica Police Department and this was so voted. A motion to reconsider Article 22 was lost.

ARTICLE 23. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,687.00 to purchase three station wagon type cruisers and one four-door sedan type cruiser for the Billerica Police Department, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to trade the three 1966 Chevrolet station wagon type cruisers which have been applied against the purchase price of the three new vehicles.

ARTICLE 24. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,875.00 to purchase three mobile radio units for police cruisers and base station complete with antenna for police station, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the present three mobile radio units, base station and antenna.

ARTICLE 25. A motion was made that Article 25 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 to purchase four electronic sirens complete with P.A. system to be installed on the three station wagon type cruisers and the police ambulance, and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 26. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2.050.00 to complete replacements of the heating system at the Billerica Police Station.

ARTICLE 27. Voted to employ three additional permanent men for the Fire Department.

ARTICLE 28. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,934.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department and $300.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department for a total of $6,234.00 for three additional permanent men and equipment for the Fire Department the additional men to start employment on or about September 1, 1967. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,500.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department and $300.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department for three additional permanent men and equipment, the additional men to start employment April 1, 1967. Following discussion, the previous question was moved. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and asked for a rising vote. There were 88 votes in the affirmative and 47 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. Following further discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion amending the original motion was allowed to be withdrawn by the Moderator because of a mistake in the figures. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $12,168.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department, and $300.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department for three additional permanent men and equipment, the additional men to start employment on or about May 1, 1967. This motion was declared lost by the Moderator and this decision was doubted. The motion was put to a rising vote with 77 votes in the affirmative and 61 votes in the negative and the motion was carried. Because of some confusion, the Moderator asked for another rising vote on this motion. There were 75 votes in the affirmative and 62 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

A motion was made to adjourn. Notice was given for later reconsideration of Article 28. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on adjournment and called for a rising vote. There were 76 votes in the affirmative and 45 votes in the negative and the motion to adjourn was carried.

Time: 5:35 P.M.

MARCH 20, 1967

The Town Meeting was called to order at 8:10 P.M. by the Moderator, with 135 Town Meeting Members present.

Voted to reconsider Article 28.

A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,934.00 to

be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department, and $300.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department for a total of $6,234.00 for three additional permanent men and equipment for the Fire Department, the additional men to start employment on or about September 1, 1967, and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 29. It was moved and voted that Article 29 be deferred to the first order of business after recess. After recess, it was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,850.00 to purchase a new Chief's car for the Fire Department, radio to be changed over from present car to new car, the old Chief's car to be used toward the purchase price of the new car.

It was moved and voted to defer Articles 30, 31, 32 and 33 until the Fire Chief be present at the meeting.

ARTICLE 34. A motion was made that Article 34 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $15,412.00 for "Longevity Pay" as stated in Article 34 and that Article 34 be adopted as written in the Warrant, and this motion was declared lost by the Moderator on a voice vote. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 68 votes in the affirmative and 77 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. A motion for reconsideration of Article 34 was lost.

ARTICLE 35. Voted that Article 35 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 36. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $15,329.56 and to transfer the following unexpended balances: Option to purchase land for school site $1,000.00; Two Sander Bodies $1,682.75; Fire Engine $19.00; Fire Department additional men $1,884.53; Washington Street damages $250.00; Two permanent Police Officers $524.30; Police Station Wagon $146.42; Police Heating repairs $50.00; Police portable radios $169.25; Wire broom $19.00; Water Department air compressor $3,000.00; River Pines school land taking expenses $797.00; Town Hall hand rail $50.00; Fire alarm boxes $23.64; Floor jack $54.55; for a total of $9,670.44 and a Grand Total of $25,000.00.

ARTICLE 30. A motion was made that Article 30 be dismissed. This was followed by a substitute motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $637.00 to extend the fire alarm wires into Riverhurst from Old Concord Road along Riverhurst Road for a distance of approximately one-half mile. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $637.00 under this article as stated above was so voted.

ARTICLE 31. A motion was made that Article 31 be dismissed. This was followed by a substitute motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,300.00 to extend the fire alarm wires on Boston Road from Treble Cove

Road north to the East Chelmsford town line, a distance of approximately one and one-half miles, and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 32. Voted that Article 32 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 33. A motion was made that Article 33 be dismissed. A substitute motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,274.00 to extend the fire alarm wires from Boston Road along Webb Brook Road to Allen Road thence north along Allen Road to Baldwin Road, and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 37. It was moved and voted that Article 37 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 38. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 to purchase a tractor with backhoe attachment for the Public Works Department. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote with 59 votes in the affirmative and 78 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 as stated above was put to a voice vote. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result and called for a rising vote. There were 90 votes in the affirmative and 57 votes in the negative and the motion for $10,000.00 was carried. A motion for reconsideration of Article 38 was lost.

Article 6, Item 412. Highway Department, Equipment Rental. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for Highway Department, Equipment Rental.

9:35 - Recess

ARTICLE 29. Voted that $1,850.00 be raised and appropriated for Article 29.

ARTICLE 39. Voted that Article 39 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 40. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,650.00 for the installation of a chain link fence at the Public Works Department on Boston Road. This was followed by a motion that Article 40 be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion for indefinite postponement was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,650.00 as stated above, was so voted.

ARTICLE 41. Voted unanimously that Article 41 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 42. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 to purchase a pick-up truck for the Tree Department. An

amendment was made to change the words "Tree Department" to "Public Works Department" and this was so voted. The amended motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 to purchase a pick-up truck for the Public Works Department was so voted.

ARTICLE 43. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $60.00 to purchase a 10" Model 19 SH Rotor Mower for the Public Works Department. An amendment was made to insert the words "or equal" after the words "Rotor Mower", and this was so voted. The amended motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $60.00 to purchase a 10" Model 19 SH Rotor Mower, or equal, for the Public Works Department was so voted.

ARTICLE 44. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $220.00 to purchase two Jacobsen Trimmers (Mowers) or equal, to be used by the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 45. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,800.00 to purchase two 75" Locke Triplex 9 H.P. Reverse Gears, or equal, for use by the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 46. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,812.00 to purchase the necessary equipment for a mobile radio system for the Public Works Department.

ARTICLE 47. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 to purchase a Sander Body for the Public Works Department, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the old body.

ARTICLE 48. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 to participate in the in-service training program for Civil Engineering as set up by the Massachusetts Department of Education.

ARTICLE 50. Voted that Article 50 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 51. A motion was made that Article 51 be indifinitely postponed. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $12,128.00 to install Fire Pre-emption lights at the Billerica Center Fire Station and at the Pinehurst Fire Station. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,868.00 to install Fire Pre-emption lights at the Billerica Center Fire Station. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,200.00 to provide Fire Pre-emption lights at the Center Fire Station provided that the one closest to the corner be provided with a button light. A motion was made that this article be postponed until the second order of business next Saturday, and this was so voted. (Mr. Racicot to find out some answers concerning the lights as whether pedestrian push button could be attached to the lighting system in question).

Action was taken as follows the following Saturday. (Mr. Racicot explained complications which would arise before pedestrian push button could be attached). A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,868.00 to install Fire Pre-emption lights at Center Fire Station without traffic light. A motion (not seconded) was made that the Board of Selectmen be instructed to present this article in the 1968 Warrant, with all legal requests to properly act, inserted. The Moderator stated that it was the consensus of opinion that this is what the meeting wanted. A motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,868.00 to install Fire Pre-emption lights at the Billerica Center Fire Station was so voted, following an affirmative vote on the previous question.

ARTICLE 52. A motion was made that Article 52 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to replace Flag Pole at the Talbot Oval. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to replace the Flag Pole at the Talbot Oval was so voted. A motion for reconsideration of this article was lost.

ARTICLE 53. It was moved and voted to postpone action on this article to the first order of business the following Saturday afternoon. At this time the following action was taken. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,900.00 for the purposes set forth in Article 53. A motion was made that this article be indefinitely postponed. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that this article be indefinitely postponed was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,900.00 for the purpose set forth in Article 53 was so voted.

A motion to adjourn until the following Saturday morning at 9:30 A.M. was lost.

ARTICLE 54. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $475.00 for the installation of a guard rail at the intersection of Middlesex Canal and Rogers Street.

ARTICLE 55. A motion was made that Article 55 be indefinitely postponed.

The question of a quorum was raised. A count of the number of Town Meeting Members present showed 131, not a quorum, and the meeting was adjourned.

Meeting Adjourned: 11:05 P.M.

MARCH 25, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 10:20 A.M. with 139 Town Meeting Members present.

Article 55, continued. It was moved and voted that Article 55 be indefinitely postponed.

Thomas Conway reported for the Planning Board in favor of the rezoning curb bounds as stated in motion.

ARTICLE 89. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to an Industrial District land owned by Graypond Realty Trust, bounded and described as follows: "Bounded on the North by land of Boston and Maine Corporation a distance of 2,500 feet from Pond Street running in an easterly direction; bounded on the East by other land of the petitioner running on a line perpendicular to boundary line of said Boston and Maine Corporation in a Southerly direction to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet Northerly of the Southerly boundary of the petitioner's land; bounded on the South by other land of the petitioner running Westerly to Pond Street on a line one hundred and fifty (150) feet Northerly of the petitioner's Southerly boundary; bounded on the west along Pond Street from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet Northerly of the petitioner's Southerly boundary line running Northerly to land of the Boston and Maine Corporation, the point of beginning". Containing 48.7 acres±.

This was voted with 98 votes in the affirmative and 47 in the negative.

A motion that Article 18 be taken from the table at this time was lost.

ARTICLE 56. Voted that this article be indefinitely postponed. (Funds provided in the Public Works budget for this repair).

ARTICLE 57. Voted that this article be indefinitely postponed. (Funds provided in the Public Works budget for this repair).

The Moderator asked for a consensus of opinion as to whether the Town Meeting Members would like the Selectmen to arrange for a meeting some night the following week, open to the public, to discuss Article 17 and 18, the Engineers to be present to answer questions. Approval was given and a meeting date was set up for March 30, 1967, Thursday, at 7:30 P.M. The Moderator was asked to be present to conduct the meeting.

12:10 P.M. - Recess

The meeting was called to order with 140 Town Meeting Members present — time 1:35 P.M.

ARTICLE 58. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 to reconstruct Manning Road, and install water line to Station 17, as shown on plan dated, August, 1966. (Finance Committee explained that 128 Realty Trust had agreed to pay any costs in excess of $30,000.00 for completion of this project). Amendment made to original motion to require a bond from 128 Realty Trust to insure that they will pay any amount over the $30,000.00 expended under this article. A motion was made that Article 58 be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Glynn, representing 128 Realty Trust, was present and was allowed to speak and answer questions. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 58 be indefinitely postponed, was lost. The

amendment to require a bond from 128 Trust to insure that they will pay any amount over the $30,000.00 expended under this article was so voted. The main motion, as amended, to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000.00 to reconstruct Manning Road and install water line to Station 17, as shown on plan dated, August 1966, and to require a bond from 128 Realty Trust to insure that they will pay any amount over the $30,000.00 expended under this article, was so voted. A motion for reconsideration of this article was lost.

ARTICLE 59. A motion was made that Article 59 be indefinitely postponed. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 to be used in conjunction with money voted under Article 38 of the Annual Town Meeting of March 1966, for the construction of a drain on Nashua Road southerly from Dudley Road to a brook. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator put the motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 as stated above, and was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote and called for a rising vote. There were 43 votes in the affirmative and 95 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 59 and this was so voted. (This was to allow Philip Marsden, not a Town Meeting Member, to speak on this article which would affect his property). A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 for purposes as stated in Article 59. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. Prior to this motion for the previous question, a motion was made that Article 59 be indefinitely postponed. The Moderator was in doubt as to the voice vote on indefinite postponement and called for a rising vote. There were 84 votes in the affirmative and 56 votes in the negative and the motion for indefinite postponement was carried.

ARTICLE 60. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for a storm drainage system from the junction of Oakwood and Edgewood Streets to the Concord River, project to be accomplished by use of Public Works Personnel and equipment. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 under this article as stated above was so voted.

It was moved and voted that when this meeting adjourns it reconvenes next Saturday morning at 9:30 A.M.

The Moderator turned the Chair over to Richard Conway for Article 61, and Mr. Conway was sworn in by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 61. A motion was made that Article 61 be indefinitely postponed.

A quorum was questioned and a count by the Tellers showed 147 Town Meeting Members were present.

A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $22,000.00

under Article 61. Notice was given for later reconsideration of Article 59. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 61 indefinitely postponed was so voted.

Moved and voted to adjourn. Time: 5:15 P.M.

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 10:35 A.M., with 135 Town Meeting Members present.

Notice was given for reconsideration of Article 61 at a later time. Notice was given for reconsideration of Article 60 at this time and this motion was lost. A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 61 at this time and this motion was lost.

ARTICLE 62. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,500.00 to construct storm drainage system on Hampstead Avenue, from a point approximately 400 feet westerly of Letchworth Avenue, a distance of approximately 650 feet, and this was so voted.

ARTICLE 63. Voted unanimously that $65,000.00 is appropriated for the construction of sewers for sanitary and surface drainage purposes and for sewage disposal from the intersection of the trunk line on River Street, thence easterly to the proposed location of the Housing for the Elderly, a total of 2,300 feet; that to raise this appropriation $1,500.00 is appropriated from the 1967 tax levy and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow $63,500.00 under Section 7 (1) of Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended.

ARTICLE 64. A motion was made that the Town accept Bridge Street, as relocated by the Board of Selectmen, from Boston Road to Treble Cove Road, approximately 2,500 feet, as shown on a plan entitled, Plan of the Relocation of Bridge Street, Billerica, Massachusetts, as ordered by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, dated November, 1966, and that the sum of $2,003.13 be raised and appropriated and that the unexpended balance of Nashua Road Drainage of $5,496.87 be transferred for a total of $7,500.00. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,500.00. A motion was made that the Board of Selectmen take by eminent domain Bridge Street, approximately 2,500 feet, from Boston Road to Treble Cove Road, as shown on a plan entitled, Plan of the Relocation of Bridge Street, Billerica, Massachusetts, as ordered by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, dated November 1966, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,500.00, therefor. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. A motion was made to add the words "or purchase" to the previous motion following the words "eminent domain". The Town Meeting Members agreed to the words "or purchase" being added to the motion. A motion was made to reconsider the vote on previous question and this was so voted. A motion was made that the Board of Selectmen take by eminent domain or purchase, Bridge Street, approximately 2,500 freet, from Boston Road to Treble Cove Road, as shown on a plan entitled, Plan of the Relocation of Bridge Street, Billerica, Massachusetts, as ordered by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, dated

November 1966, and further to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,003.13 and to transfer the unexpended balance of Nashua Road Drainage of $5,496.87 for a total of $7,500.00. The previous question was moved and voted. The amendment to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 was lost. The motion that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain or purchase, Bridge Street, approximately 2,500 feet, from Boston Road to Treble Cove Road, as shown on a plan entitled, Plan of the Relocation of Bridge Street, Billerica, Massachusetts, as laid out by the Billerica Board of Selectmen, dated November 1966, and further to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,003.13 and to transfer the unexpired balance of Nashua Road Drainage of $5,496.85 for a total of $7,500.00, was put by the Moderator. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on this motion and called for a rising vote. There were 96 votes in the affirmative and 29 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 65. Voted unanimously to set aside the amount of $28,442.07, made available by Section 5, Chapter 679 of the Acts of 1965, for the reconstruction of Bridge Street.

ARTICLE 66. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,300.00 to pay for non-participating items in connection with Chapter 90 Construction of Treble Cove Road.

ARTICLE 67. Voted that Article 67 be indefinitely postponed.

A motion was made that Article 99 be considered at this time and this motion was lost.

ARTICLE 68. Voted unanimously to accept Urban Road as a public way, from the southerly line of Baldwin Road southerly a distance of approximately 550 feet, in accordance with the lay out by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

Voted to bring forward Article 99 at this time.

Mr. Ralph Bacon reported for the Water Committee.

ARTICLE 99. Voted unanimously that $73,000.00 is appropriated for water main extensions of not less than six inches in diameter, and for lining such mains with linings of not less than one-sixteenth of an inch; that to raise this appropriation $23,000.00 shall be included in the 1967 tax levy, and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow $50,000.00 under Section 8 (5) of Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended.

Following noon adjournment the Town Meeting was reconvened at 1:35 P.M. with 140 Town Meeting Members present.

It was moved and voted to take Articles 18 and 19 from the table at this time.

ARTICLE 18. The Moderator stated that the Town Meeting had before them the amounts of 75%, 60%, 55%, 45% and 25% for the Town's share under this article. (Mr. Dyer was present to answer questions.) A motion was made to substitute the figure of 100 per cent as the Town's share of the estimated cost of its systems of sewerage and sewage disposal. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator was in doubt as to the voice vote on the motion for 100 per cent as the Town's share of the estimated cost of its systems of sewerage and sewage disposal and called for a rising vote. Without count the Moderator declared it was a majority vote in favor of this motion.

ARTICLE 19. Voted that Article 19 be indefinitely postponed.

A rising vote of thanks was given Engineer Dyer.

ARTICLE 69. Voted unanimously to accept Knowles Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 70. Voted unanimously to accept Bowman Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen on file with the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 71. A motion was made and seconded that Article 71 be dismissed.

A motion was made and seconded that the sum of $5,228.28 be raised for the salary of an Executive Secretary. This to begin on May 1st with $8,000.00 yearly salary. After considerable discussion, an amendment was made to raise and appropriate, or transfer, the sum of $5,222.28 from which a salary for the rest of 1967 will be set for an Executive Secretary.

This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a sum not to exceed $5,222.28, salary to be set by the Personnel Board for an Executive Secretary to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen under Chapter 41, Sec. 23A, and qualified in business and business administration.

An amendment was made that the Town raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, the sum of $5,000.00 from which a salary will be set for a full-time Executive Secretary. The previous question was moved and so voted.

The motion for the sum of $5,500.00 to be raised and appropriated from which the salary for the remainder of 1967 will be set for a full-time Executive Secretary was so voted.

Chairman Paul F. Newman read the following Authority: Chapter 41, Section 23-A, Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 5, Section 8, By-Laws — Town of Wakefield.

1. In Terms of Duties that are Characteristic as to Type and Level:
   Professional management of Administrative apparatus: Coordination and directional guidance of municipal operations: Communication and intermediaton between departments. Boards and Commttees: Research and development programming. Related work as required and as assigned by the Board of Selectmen.

2. In Terms of Typical Tasks or Assignments:
   Representative of the Board of Selectmen: Administration and negotiation of Insurance Contracts for all Town Departments — i.e., Fire, Casualty, Liability and Employee Group Insurance. Administration of pre-placement physical examination program for all Town Departments. Initiation and coordination of personnel planning for all Town Departments. Liaison between all Town Departments and the Board of Selectmen. Responsibility for compliance with terms of some seven hundred sections of law relating to Selectmen and hundreds of other sections bearing on Town Government in general.

3. In Terms of Distinctive Qualification Requirements:
   Considerable knowledge of public administration theory and practice and ability to initiate and apply administrative methods and procedures, assignments requiring organization of personnel and material; personal tactfulness as is required in achieving a coordinated and effective administration by reasonable persuasion and agreeable education.

4. As to Special Schooling, Training and Experience:
   College graduate with major work in Business Administration and Public Administration. Four years of experience in a responsible administrative or supervisory capacity. Any equivalent combination of education and experience.
   s/Burton F. Whitcomb, Secretary Board of Selectmen, Wakefield.

A motion was made to accept list of Duties, Tasks, Assignments, Qualifications, Schooling, Training and Experience as read by Mr. Newman as requirements for Executive Secretary.

Following discussion, the previous question was moved and so voted.

The motion as just stated as to requirements for an Executive Secretary was put to a vote. The Moderator called for a rising vote and the motion was carried with 76 votes in the affirmative and 72 in the negative.

The amended motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,500.00 from which a salary for the remainder of 1967 will be set for a full-time Executive Secretary, and to accept list of Duties, Tasks, Assignments, Qualifications, Schooling, Training and Experience as read by Mr. Newman as requirements for Executive Secretary, was so voted.

A motion was made that when this Town Meeting adjourns today if business is not complete that we reconvene Monday night at 7:30 P.M.

An amendment was made to reconvene Tuesday night at 7:30 P.M. and this motion was lost. The motion to reconvene Monday night at 7:30 P.M. was so voted.

Article 6, Item 102. Selectmen, Clerk Wages. It was moved and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for Selectmen, Clerk Wages.

ARTICLE 72. Voted that Article 72 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 73. A motion was made that Article 73 be accepted as written. An amendment was made to insert after the words "when not restricted to the premises of said owner or keeper" the words "from sunrise to one hour after sunset." An amendment was made that restrictions be effective especially from 7:30 to 9:30 A.M., and from 2:00 to 3:30 P.M. A motion was made that Article 73 be referred to a Study Committee to be appointed by the Moderator and this Committee to make a full report to the next Annual Town Meeting. The previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 73 be referred to a Study Committee as stated above was lost. The amendment that restrictions be effective especially from 7:30 to 9:30 A.M. and from 2:00 to 3:30 P.M. was lost. The amendment to insert after the words "when not restricted to the premises of said owner or keeper" the words "from sunrise to one hour after sunset" was lost. The main motion that Article 73 be accepted as written was declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 63 votes in the affirmative and 80 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. A motion for reconsideration of Article 73 was lost.

ARTICLE 6. Item 263, Use of Kennels. Moved and voted that Item 263, Use of Kennels, be dismissed.

A quorum was questioned and a count by the Tellers showed there were but 127 Town Meeting Members present.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 P.M.

APRIL 3, 1967

ARTICLE 74. Voted that Article 74 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 75. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for maintaining the Billerica Little League Field and to aid in the support of the Little League.

ARTICLE 76. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Billerica Bantam Pee Wee youth program, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Billerica Hockey Association.

ARTICLE 77. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum

of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Babe Ruth League, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Babe Ruth League Committee.

ARTICLE 78. (The Town Meeting Members gave consent to hold Articles 78, 79, 80 and 81 until later when the Board of Selectmen were present).

ARTICLE 82. It was moved and voted that Article 82 be indefinitely postponed. (Mr. Racicot explained that he could take care of main problem at one intersection under drainage article already voted.)

ARTICLE 83. Voted unanimously that Article 83 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 84. Voted to transfer from Sale of Lots Fund the sum of $2,500.00 to be used in the expansion of Cemetery Property for the Town of Billerica.

ARTICLE 85. It was moved and voted that Article 85 be indefinitely postponed. Following action on Article 86, it was moved and voted to reconsider Article 85 in order to give a representative of the voting machine company an opportunity to speak and answer questions pertaining to the voting machines. A motion was made that Article 85 be indefinitely postponed. A substitute motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,800.00 for the purpose of purchasing or renting voting machines for the Town of Billerica. The motion for indefinite postponement of this article was so voted.

ARTICLE 86. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law, Section 8, to read as follows:

1. In Neighborhood Business Districts and in General Business Districts there shall be provided on each lot an open yard space of not less than fifty (50) feet depth along the front property line and not less than twenty-five (25) feet depth along each side property line except as may be permitted otherwise by the Board of Appeals on petition of the property owner concerned after a public thereon with due notice given. No building or structure shall hereafter be built, altered, moved, reconstructed or extended so that any part thereof including loading platforms, covered or open, but not eaves or steps, shall be nearer than fifty (50) feet from the front line or twenty-five (25) feet from the side line of any lot in such district, nor nearer than thirty-five (35) feet from the rear of such lot.

2. In Industrial District there shall be provided on each lot an open yard space of not less than one hundred (100) feet depth along the front property line and not less than thirty-five (35) feet depth along each side property line, and not less than fifty (50) feet depth along the rear line of such lot, except than an open yard space of not less than fifty (50) feet depth shall be provided on any lot in an Industrial District wherever such lot abuts land residentially zoned.

This was voted with 112 in the affirmative and 13 in the negative.

ARTICLE 87. A motion was made that Article 87 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00, to be expended by the Planning Board for the purpose of employing Counsel or incurring other expenses in relation to any appeals it may determine to take from decisions of the Board of Appeals in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 81 BB, and Chapter 40Z, Section 21, of the General Laws. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of the voice vote on the motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00, as stated above, and called for a rising vote. There were 66 votes in the affirmative and 63 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 88. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Residential District to General Business District the land owned by Arlex Oil Corporation on Middlesex Tpke. bounded and described as follows:

The land with building thereon, being five certain lots of land #1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in Block F, on a plan of Crosby Gardens made by R. F. Smith, Surveyor, dated October, 1929, and recorded with Middlesex Northern District Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 57, Plan 16 and to which plan and the recording thereof reference is hereby made for the bounds, measurements, areas, and a more complete description.

This was voted with 121 in the affirmative and 25 in the negative.

ARTICLE 90. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Rural Residential District to an Industrial District the land owned by Lectronic Realty Corporation on the easterly side of Boston Road bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the North by land now or formerly of Donnelly, Tracey, Champagne and O'Brien; on the East by the Concord River; on the South by land of Lectronic Realty Corporation, an existing industrial zone; on the West by land now or formerly of Peterson, Clermont, an existing business zone, and land now or formerly of Condon on Treble Cove Road and McBride, with a buffer zone of fifty feet depth on North and West boundary set back.

This was voted with 152 votes in the affirmative and 2 votes in the negative.

ARTICLE 91. Voted unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning BY-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to a General Business District the land owned by Boynton & Dutile Realty Trust located on the Westerly side of Boston Road, bounded an described as follows:

Easterly by Boston Road in two courses totaling 376.65 feet
Northerly by Pine Street, 100 feet
Westerly by land now or formerly of Joseph Kukulski, 95 feet

Northerly again by said Kukulski land 99.30 feet
Westerly again by land now or formerly of Patrick F. Delahanty, 293.17 feet
Southerly by the Southern bank of the Middlesex Canal, 200 feet.

ARTICLE 92. A motion was made that Article 92 be dismissed. This was followed by a motion that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Residence District to Industrial District land owned by Frances Deserica, formerly of Barbara Galvin, lying East of Concord Road, and bounded as described in the Warrant. A motion was made that Article 92 be laid on the table and this motion was declared lost by the Moderator on a voice vote. This decision was doubted and the Moderator called for a rising vote. There were 77 votes in the affirmative and 66 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. Not two-thirds). Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Residence District to Industrial District land owned by Frances Duserica, formerly of Barbara Galvin, lying East of Concord Road, and bounded as described in the Warrant, was put to a rising vote. There were 58 votes in the affirmative and 87 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion that Article 92 be dismissed was so voted.

ARTICLE 93. Voted unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from Neighborhood Residence District to General Business District the land owned by Visco, Incorporated and Gerarda Visco lying East of Boston Road adjoining land of Boston & Maine Railroad and bounded as follows:

Westerly by Boston & Maine Railroad and General Business District owned by Gerada Visco; Northerly by land of George S. Flint; Easterly by other land of Visco, Incorporated; Southerly by land of James E. Farmer, the Easterly line of said lot meaning to be 250 feet parallel to the Easterly sideline of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

Lot A	120,380 Square Feet	Visco, Inc.
Lot B	2,460 Square Feet	Visco, Inc.
Lot C	16,250 Square Feet	Gerarda Visco
Lot D	2,920 Square Feet	Gerarda Visco

ARTICLE 94. Under Article 94, Mr. Conway took over the Chair for Mrs. Gould. It was moved and unanimously voted that Article 94 be indefinitely postponed. Mrs. Gould returned to the Chair.

ARTICLE 95. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Business District to a General Business District the land owned by Collentro Maples, Inc., of Concord Road, and bounded as follows:

Bounded on the North by Lots 324 and 62B as shown on Land Court plans #2792S and 2792M, a total of 259.12 feet; on the East and

South by Riverhurst Road and Old Concord Road, a total distance of 335.91 feet; on the West by Lot E as shown on Land Court plan #2792D, a total distance of 153.86 feet.

This was voted with 116 in the affirmative and 26 in the negative.

ARTICLE 96. Voted unanimously that the Town amend the Zoning By-Law by adding the following:

Section 21 Penalty
Any person violating any provisions of this By-Law, any of the conditions under which a permit is issued, or any decision rendered by the Board of Appeals, may be fined not more than fifty dollars for each offense. Each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.

ARTICLE 78. A motion was made to establish the position in Public Works, of Civil Engineer, whose educational requirements shall be that he is a four year college graduate, majoring in Civil Engineering and to set an annual salary for this position of $10,000.00 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,700.00 for compensation for this position. An amendment was made that the figure of $10,000.00 be amended to $8,000.00 and the figure of $6,700.00 be amended to $5,335.00 for eight months. An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,335.00 at this time. A motion was made for indefinite postponement of this article. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of a voice vote on the motion for indefinite postponement of this article and called for a rising vote. There were 62 votes in the affirmative and 72 votes in the negative and the motion for indefinite postponement was lost. An amendment to the motion was made after the word "Engineer" we add the words "with a minimum previous experience of two years in a similar position", and this motion was lost. The original motion to establish the position in Public Works, of Civil Engineer, whose educational requirements shall be that he is a four year college graduate, majoring in Civil Engineering and to set an annual salary for this position of $10,000.00 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,700.00 for compensation for this position was put to a vote and declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote with 61 votes in the affirmative and 64 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The amendment that the figure of $10,000.00 be amended to $8,000.00 and the figure of $6,700.00 be amended to $5,335.00 for eight months was put to a vote and declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote with 69 votes in the affirmative and 57 votes in the negative and the motion was carried.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 78 was lost.

A quorum was questioned and a count by the Tellers showed there were 152 Town Meeting Members present.

A motion was made that when the Town Meeting adjourned it re-

convene the next night, Tuesday, at 7:30 P.M. An amendment was made to reconvene on Thursday night at 7:30 P.M., and another amendment was made to reconvene on Wednesday night at 7:30 P.M. The motion for Tuesday night was lost. The motion for Wednesday night was lost. The motion to reconvene on Thursday night at 7:30 P.M. was declared so voted by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote with 101 votes in the affirmative and 35 votes in the negative and the motion for Thursday night was so voted.

ARTICLE 79. A motion was made to establish a position in Public Works, titled, Engineering Aide, whose educational requirements shall be that he is a high school graduate, majoring in math or equivalent of one year college engineering fundamentals, to set the annual salary at $5,436.00 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,638.00 for compensation for this position. An amendment was made to substitute the sum of $5,200.00 for the annual salary and to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,464.00 for compensation for this position.

An amendment was made that educational requirements shall be that he is a high school graduate from a college preparatory or college technical program, deleting the words "majoring in math". An amendment was made that educational requirements shall be a high school graduate from a college preparatory course with four years of mathematics, or college technical program. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The amendment that the educational requirements shall be that he be a high school graduate from a college preparatory course with four years of mathematics or college technical program, deleting the words "majoring in math" was so voted. The motion that the annual salary shall be $5,456.00 and to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,638.00 for compensation for this position was put to a voice vote. The Moderator was in doubt as to the result of this vote and called for a rising vote. Without a count the Moderator declared it was obviously a majority vote. The motion as amended to establish a position in Public Works, titled Engineering Aide, whose educational requirements shall be that he is a high school graduate from a college preparatory course with four years of mathematics or college technical program, deleting the words "majoring in math" or equivalent of one year college engineering fundamentals, and to set the annual salary at $5,456.00, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,638.00 for compensation for this position, was so voted.

A count for a quorum was requested and a count by the Tellers showed there were 98 Town Meeting Members present. The meeting was adjourned until Thursday night, April 6, 1967, at 7:30 P.M.

Time: 11:10 P.M.

APRIL 6, 1967

The Town Meeting was called to order at 8:15 P.M. by the Moderator with 140 Town Meeting Members present.

Notice was given for reconsideration of Article 96 at a later time.

ARTICLE 80. A motion was made to establish a position in Public Works, titled, Chief Sewerage Treatment Plant Operator, to set an annual salary of $6,849.00, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,854.00 for compensation for this position to commence 1 August 1967. An amend- was made to substitute the figures, annual salary minimum $6,614.40, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,800.00 for compensation for this position. The motion to establish a position in Public Works, titled, Chief Sewerage Treatment Plant Operator, to set an annual salary of $6,849.00, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,854.00 for compensation for this position to commence 1 August 1967, was so voted.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 96 was lost.

ARTICLE 81. Voted unanimously that Article 81 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 97. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for legal services for the Collector of Taxes Department.

A motion was made for reconsideration of Article 80, and this motion was lost. This decision by the Moderator was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 56 votes in the affirmative and 66 votes in the negative and the motion was lost.

ARTICLE 98. Voted unanimously that Article 98 be adopted as described in the Warrant with the following amendment. After the words "non cumulative" add the words "a member of immediate family is defined as follows: husband, wife, child, parent of either spouse, brother or sister of person subject to these rules, or of a person living in the household of a person subject to these rules".

ARTICLE 100. A motion was made that no action be taken under Article 100. A motion was made that Article 100 be accepted as read and that the sum of $2,750.00 be raised and appropriated for the remainder of the year for the purposes set forth in the Warrant. (Dr. Leonard Bram was allowed to speak on this article). An amendment was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,750.00 under this article. Following discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 100 be accepted as read and that the sum of $2,750.00 be raised and appropriated for the remainder of the year for the purposes set forth in the Warrant was put to a vote and this motion was lost. The motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,750.00 under this article was put to a vote and declared lost by the Moderator. This decision was doubted and the motion was put to a rising vote. There were 33 votes in the affirmative and 100 votes in the negative and the motion was lost. The motion that no action be taken under Article 100 was so voted.

ARTICLE 6. Item 319, Board of Health, Contract Medical Expenses. It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for Board of Health, Contract Medical Expenses.

ARTICLE 101. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,363.30 as Billerica's share of the State Mental Health Program.

ARTICLE 102. Voted that Article 102 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 103. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for a Dump Study Committee to make a full survey of this situation and report back before the next Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 104. Voted that Article 104 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 105. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to purchase shade trees, shrubbery, landscaping and replacing old trees, to be expended under the express control of the Garden Club. An amendment was made to delete the words "under express control of the Garden Club". An amendment was made to change the words to "under the Guidance of the Garden Club" and this was so voted. The amended motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to purchase shade trees, shrubbery, landscaping and replacing old trees, to be expended under the guidance of the Garden Club was so voted.

ARTICLE 106. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $966.00 for the purpose of having a series of band concerts on the Billerica Center Common during the summer months.

ARTICLE 107. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,250.00 under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C for the purpose of maintaining the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 108. Voted unanimously that Article 108 be accepted as written.

ARTICLE 109. Voted that Article 109 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 110. Voted unanimously to authorize the Conservation Commission, under a cooperative agreement with the U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Service, to establish a natural resource inventory for the Town.

ARTICLE 111. Voted unanimously to transfer the sum of $1,000.00 from the Forest Fund for expenses, maintenance and A.C.P. work.

ARTICLE 112. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to be expended by the Board of Assessors to employ professional appraisers for the purpose of placing valuation on two parcels of industrial properties.

ARTICLE 113. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00

for the procurement of base maps and tax maps and the sale of copies thereof, said funds to be expended by the Map Committee.

ARTICLE 114. Voted that Article 114 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 115. A motion was made that Article 115 be indefinitely postponed. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the use of the Billerica Junior League Football, and this motion was lost. The motion that Article 115 be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

Vincent Padula reported for the Permanent School Building Committee.

Notice was given for later reconsideration of Article 115.

ARTICLE 116. Voted unanimously that the Town vote to order and direct the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain, in fee, for school building purposes, 15 acres of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows: beginning at a point on the wall at land of Henry J. Matarazzo and Owners Unknown, said point being 240.71 feet, more or less, southerly along the property line, from the southerly sideline of Call Street; the land is bounded northerly by land of said Matarazzo to a point at land of Matarazzo and Rosario C. and Angelo L. Balliro, said point being 256.52 feet, more or less, southerly along the property line from the southerly sideline of Call Street; thence westerly by land of said Matarazzo, thence northerly and westerly by land of Richard B. & Irene M. Murphy and the westerly sideline of Balliro Road, as shown on Land Court Plan #24227, to the southerly sideline of Call Street; thence northerly by the southerly sideline of Call Street; thence easterly by land of said John Michael Miscone; thence northerly by land of said Miscone; thence easterly by land of Michael W. and Olga M. Antonuk, thence northerly by said land of Antonuk; thence easterly by land of Gregory R. & Mary E. Wright, and Walter J. & Mary A. Pupkis, said line being decribed 200 feet from the westerly sideline of Rogers Street; thence northerly by land of said Pupkis; thence easterly by the westerly sideline of Rogers Street; thence southerly by land of Louis Witkowski; thence easterly by said land of Witkowski, said line being described 200 feet westerly from the westerly sideline of Rogers Street; thence southerly by land of Frederick S. and Theresa Naughler; thence easterly by land of said Naughler; thence southerly by the northerly sideline of Beacon Street; thence westerly by land of Owners Unknown; thence southerly by land of Owners Unknown, the Town of Billerica and Owners Unknown; thence westerly by land of the Town of Billerica, Owners Unknown, the Town of Billerica and Owners Unknown.

Meaning and intending to include all the land of Matarazzo lying southerly of a line 240 feet, more or less, and parallel to the southerly sideline of Call Street, containing 5.4 acres, more or less; all of land of Balliro, including Balliro Road, so called; all the land of Miscone, southerly of a line 215 feet, more or less and perpendicular to the property line

between Miscone and Balliro, containing 20,000 feet, more or less; all the land of Wright, westerly of a line 200 feet and parallel with the westerly sideline of Rogers Street, containing, 22,000 feet, more or less; all the land of Pupkis lying westerly of the line, 200 feet westerly of the westerly sideline of Rogers Street, containing 22,000 feet, more or less; all of the land and buildings thereon of Krol, containing 2.3 acres, more or less; all the land of Witkowski, lying westerly of a line, 200 feet westerly of the westerly sideline of Rogers Street, containing 2 acres, more or less, all the land shown as Parcels 75, 76 and 77, Plate 16, Town of Billerica Assessors Maps, containing 8500 square feet, more or less.

ARTICLE 117. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00, and to transfer the sum of $25,000.00 from the unexpended balance of the East Billerica Construction Account, for a total of $30,000.00 for the purchase or taking, in fee, for school building purposes, 21 acres, more or less, of land as described in the previous article.

ARTICLE 118. Voted unanimously to transfer the sum of $25,000.00 from the unexpended balance of East Billerica Construction Account to be used and expended by the Permanent School Building Committee for architectural, engineering and legal services in consultation with and for the benefit of such Committee with reference to building an elementary school in North Billerica.

ARTICLE 119. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,772.00 to be used for the operation of State-aided Evening Practical Arts Education Courses including also Adult- Education Courses.

ARTICLE 120. Voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of $33,000.00, in addition to the $27,000.00 voted under Article 105 of the March, 1966 Town Meeting, to replace the roof of the Vining School.

ARTICLE 121. A motion was made that Article 121 be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 to formulate plans and designs for making a football field and track field at the rear of Memorial High School, and this was so voted.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 115 was lost.

ARTICLE 122. A motion was made that Article 122 be indefinitely postponed. This was followed by a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 under Article 122, and this motion was lost. The motion that Article 122 be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

ARTICLE 123. A motion was made to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,200.00 under this article. This was followed by a motion that Article 123 be indefinitely postponed. After discussion, the previous question was moved and voted. The motion that Article 123 be indefinitely postponed was so voted.

ARTICLE 124. Voted that Article 124 be dismissed.

ARTICLE 125. Voted that Article 125 be dismissed. (No Free Cash available).

The Moderator was given a rising vote of thanks for her time and a tremendous job.

Moved and voted to adjourn. Time: 11:15 P.M.

A true copy
Attest:
Mildred A. Westhaver
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

With the closing of the year ending December 31, 1967 I submit the following vital statistics recorded:

Births	548
Marriages	235
Deaths	148

This is not the final figure for births of residents of Billerica for the calendar year of 1967, as copies of births are still being received from other cities and towns.

Receipts taken in with all monies having been turned over to the Treasurer:

Dog Licenses	$ 5,049.50
Hunting Licenses	6,210.00
All Other Receipts	18,586.05
	$29,845.55

At this time I would like to take the opportunity to thank the Town Meeting Members for their kind consideration of our salary increase and budget voted in the Annual Town Meeting.

Also for the Out-of-State-Travel to Los Angeles, California to the International Convention of Municipal Clerks.

This conference is very informative and the ever increasing problems of the Clerk's office are thoroughly discussed and these discussions are very helpful to the Clerks attending the meeting.

Election laws as pertaining to the Nation with new devices are displayed and it gives one the opportunity to evaluate the various systems.

I wish to thank the Selectmen and all the Town Officials for their full cooperation throughout the year.

The members of the staff are Loretta G. Nickerson and Myrtie D. Smith.

The office is opened daily from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Monday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

We are here to serve you and welcome the opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED A. WESTHAVER
Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Registrars conducted their annual listing of all males and females twenty years of age and older according to Chapter 5, Section 4, with the following results:

Precinct	Male	Female	Total
Precinct 1	868	954	1,822
Precinct 2	1,226	1,298	2,524
Precinct 3	1,429	1,437	2,866
Precinct 4	899	878	1,777
Precinct 5	1,267	1,278	2,545
Precinct 6	1,164	1,150	2,314
	6,853	6,995	13,848

This is an increase of 918 persons over the previous year.

The total number of voters are as follows:

Precinct	Registered Voters	Democratic	Republican	Unenrolled Voters
Precinct 1	1,245	350	374	521
Precinct 2	1,802	729	371	702
Precinct 3	1,960	821	279	860
Precinct 4	1,178	464	184	530
Precinct 5	1,543	484	179	880
Precinct 6	1,463	519	171	773
	9,191	3,367	1,558	4,266

The above figures were compiled as of December 26, 1967.

Qualified residents may register daily Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Monday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. and at special registration sessions prior to the various elections.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS M. DANIELS, Chairman
GEORGE L. GRANTZ
CANUTE W. LEE
MILDRED A. WESTHAVER
Clerk Ex-Officio

December 31, 1967

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Billerica:

We hereby submit our report for the year ending December 31, 1967.

At our annual election Paul F. Newman was reelected for a term of three years. The Board was reorganized with Paul F. Newman elected as Chairman, Stuart L. Potter as Vice-Chairman and George E. Lewis, Secretary.

On June 7, 1967, our Board and the citizens of Billerica were saddened by the sudden and untimely death of our fellow Selectman George E. Lewis. George, as he was affectionately known by us and his fellow townsmen, in his many years of public service as a selectman and finance committee member, gave unselfishly and untiringly his time and effort to make Billerica a better Billerica. To his credit, to mention a few, go our industrial growth, increased water and sewage facilities. His wit, his wisdom and knowledge of town affairs are sorely missed. It was a pleasure to serve with him. He shall be forever remembered by his fellow townsmen and your selectmen.

Although at a previous Town Meeting (1957) the position of Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen was authorized, funds were not appropriated. This year our Town Meeting Representatives saw the need for such a position and voted the necessary funds. Several applicants were interviewed, and your Board appointed Mr. Francis Corliss as our Executive Secretary. In his short period of employment, he has proved to be a most welcome and capable secretary. If you have a problem which you feel is the responsibility of the Town, contact Mr. Corliss at his office in the Town Hall.

After many years of filing applications, meetings with federal and state officials, leaders of industry and our engineers, two milestones were reached this year. First, we had the dedication and opening of the first town-built sewage plant; secondly, approval of our application for a Federal Grant to expand our Water Treatment Plant to provide increased pumping and storage facilities. Under this Grant the Federal Government will pay up to sixty percent ($1,369,000.00) of our construction costs. Construction is now under way, and we are proud to say that in comparison to neighboring towns, Billerica leads the way in sewage and water facilities. Our neighboring towns are just now going into the planning stage for these facilities.

A special election was held to fill the vacancy created by the sudden and untimely death of Selectman George E. Lewis. Mr. Vincent Padula was elected to fill that vacancy.

With the advent of Collective Bargaining your Selectmen spent many hours negotiating a contract with the employees of the Public Works Department. We are now in the process of negotiating with members of the Police Department.

We consider the year of 1967 to have been a year of productiveness and progress and look to 1968 as another year of progress.

With increased demand for public services, we must continue with our long-range planning to provide these services with minimum expense to our town and taxpayers.

We thank the Town Officials, Department Heads and Department Personnel for their assistance and cooperation throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. NEWMAN
STUART L. POTTER
RUSSELL A. YOUNG
DONALD W. DAVIS
VINCENT M. PADULA

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' SERVICE CENTER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Office of Veterans' Services during the year 1967 had a much larger than expected increase in case load, veterans and their dependents needing assistance, financial and medical, which made for record expenditures for this office this year. Twice during the year money was transferred to my account, but still at the close of the year this department had a total of $14,502.55 in medical bills and small miscellaneous bills that had to be submitted to the Town on a Warrant Article for Town Meeting to receive authorization for payment.

There are many reasons for this increase, changes in the laws liberalizing payment of benefits, increase in budget allowances, but mainly increased medical costs at State rates for daily care at hospitals was greatly increased.

I believe that this increase in expenditures will continue for many years as the Town and the State are caught in an upward trend in costs and expenses in all departments.

I wish to thank all the Town officials for their cooperation this past year. For details of expenditures please see the Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER C. SANDBERG
Director of Veterans' Services

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1967.

There were 1296 arrests for the following causes:

Crimes Against the Person

Assault and Battery with a dangerous weapon	3	
Assault and Battery	14	
Assault and Battery on a Police Officer	4	
Threatening	6	
Armed Robbery	2	
Indecent Assault and Battery on Child under 14	3	
Assault with Intent to Commit Rape	2	
Intent to Commit Assault and Battery	1	
Annoying and Accosting	1	
Carnal Abuse Female Child	2	
Manslaughter	1	
Total		39

Crimes Against Property

Using Motor Vehicle without Authority	26	
Breaking and Entering with intent to commit felony	3	
Breaking and Entering in Nighttime and Larceny	5	
Larceny	16	
Trespassing	3	
Burglary	1	
Attempt to Steal a Motor Vehicle	1	
Larceny in a Building	2	
Receiving Stolen Property	5	
Attempted Larceny	1	
Attempted Breaking and Entering in Nighttime with intent to Commit a Felony	2	
Malicious Injury	2	
Larceny by False Pretenses	1	
Uttering	5	
Forgery	1	
Arson	2	
Attempt to Commit Arson	1	
Burning a Motor Vehicle	1	
Embezzlement	1	
Total		79

Crimes Against Public Order

Drunkenness	279	
Being Minor having Alcoholic Beverage in Motor Vehicle	2	
Motor Vehicle Violations	180	
Safekeeping	9	
Speeding	655	
Delinquency	24	
Non-Payment of Fines	3	
Begetting	1	
Federal Violation Narcotic Drug Law	1	
Non-Support	10	
Escapee from House of Correction	2	
Being Abroad in Nighttime	1	
Unlawful Carrying a Dangerous Weapon	1	
Open and Gross Lewdness	1	
Escapee from Boston State Hospital	1	
Violation of Probation	2	
Escapee from Metropolitan Training School	1	
Disturbing the Peace	3	
Escapee from Bedford V.A. Hospital	1	
Illegal Possession of Alcoholic Beverage	1	
Total		1178
TOTAL ARRESTS		1296

Disposition of Cases

Released	222	
Fined	832	
Filed	35	
Defaulted	1	
Continued without Finding	25	
Restitution	1	
Sentenced to House of Correction	18	
Returned to Parents	2	
Turned over to Out-of-Town Police	35	
Committed to Metropolitan State Hospital	1	
Committed to Worcester State Hospital	6	
Dismissed	8	
Not Guilty	9	
Sentenced to Middlesex Training School	5	
Probation	17	
Sentenced to Youth Service Board	4	
Ordered to Pay	23	
Committed to Lowell Mental Health	2	
Suspended Sentence	3	
Committed to Bedford V.A. Hospital	2	
Turned over to Social Worker at Fernald School	1	
Awaiting Disposition	44	
TOTAL		1296

Miscellaneous

Summonses Served	1594
Ambulance Calls	1016
Calls Answered by Cruisers	9767
Licenses Suspended	321
Teletype Messages	403
Registrations Suspended	28
Traffic Warnings Issued	602
Fines Assessed	$11,015
Automobile Transfers	3152
Personal Injuries Claimed	340
Accidents Reported	680
Fatal Automobile Accidents	5
Special Property Checks	527
Photocopy Receipts	$1,225

I wish to thank the Billerica Fire Department for their valued assistance on 671 of our ambulance calls and also for their cooperation in various emergencies during the year.

I also wish to thank the Town Officials, Department Heads and Department Personnel for their assistance and cooperation throughout the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. RYAN,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Fire Department for the year 1967 is herewith submitted.

Manual Force

The manual force of the Department consists of forty-five permanent men including five officers, Chief of Department and two call men. Operating three stations: Central Station, Engine Co. 1, Ladder Co. 1; North Station, Engine Co. 2 and Pinehurst Station, Engine Co. 3.

Apparatus and Equipment

There are 11 pieces of motor apparatus: Chief's car, two emergency boats, 500 gallon portable trailer pump, two C.D. portable pumps, a C.D. fire truck and C.D. generator.

Building and Equipment Repairs

The permanent men have made repairs to the buildings, apparatus and equipment whenever possible and through their efforts the Town has been saved a considerable sum of money.

Fire Prevention

In keeping with Fire Department regulations, fire drills were held in all public schools during the year. Fire drills were held for all Town Fire Fighters. The Auxiliary Fire Fighters attended and participated in department drills this year. All places of public assembly were inspected and regulations enforced. Inspections were made before issuance of the following permits: oil burners, storage of oil for same, gasoline tanks and relocation of same.

Alarms, Fires and Emergency Calls

There were 936 calls this year, 134 less calls than last year. The Fire Department also assisted the Police Department in many of their ambulance calls.

Loss and Damage

Estimated value of property at risk, not including brush and grass fires, and upon which there was a loss.

Value of Buildings and Automobiles	$ 2,826,350.00
Value of Contents of Same	474,054.00
TOTAL VALUE	$ 3,300,404.00
Loss on Buildings and Automobiles	$ 287,710.00
Loss on Contents of Same	98,603.00
TOTAL LOSS	$ 386,313.00
TOTAL INSURANCE PAID	$ 338,609.00

I wish to thank all those who, in any way, assisted this Department during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL H. ROPER
Fire Chief

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

The Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Following is a report of the Department of Public Works, for the year ending December 31, 1967.

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT:

Treatment Plant: Water consumption for 1967 showed an increase of 4% over 1966. Total amount pumped for 1967 was 695,040,500. Our peak month was June, when we pumped 75,321,900 gallons. Our peak day was June 10, when we pumped 4,025,600 gallons. In the first part of June it became necessary to impose a restriction on the outside use of water (June through October).

Distribution System: The 1967 water extensions were contracted for in the month of November, and are now under construction and should be completed in early 1968.

There were 387 new services installed by the Department and along with the services installed by developers in the various sub-divisions, as of December 31, we had a total of 7,108 services.

General maintenance consisted of repairs or replacement of old service conections (7); thawing out frozen lines (35); broken hydrants or leaks (38); flushing dead-end mains; repairs to ruptured mains; repairs and maintenance to operating equipment; and operation of the sewerage treatment plant on Wyman Road and filter beds in North Billerica.

New Municipal Sewerage System: On January 24, 1966, two (2) contracts were executed by the Board of Selectmen for starting of construction on new sewerage facilities. One contract provided for the construction of the sewerage plant and two (2) sewerage pumping stations. This contract was awarded to the Wes-Julian Construction Corp., Dedham, Mass., in the amount of $1,026,217. The second, which provided for the construction of about 3.3 miles of main gravity sewers and about one mile of force main sewers, was awarded to the Johnson Brothers Construction Company, Auburn, Mass., in the amount of $667,870. On October 6, 1966, a third contract was signed by the Board of Selectmen, which provided for the construction of 2.9 miles of main and lateral sewers, and about .9 of a mile of house connecting sewers. This contract was awarded to Joseph Capone, Roslindale, Mass., in the amount of $329,910. The contract was amended to exclude construction on Indian Head Road and Port Sunlight Road, and was further amended by adding River Street sewer from the Boston and Maine Railroad, easterly, to Boston Road, to serve the high school, Parker Elementary School, and new home for the elderly.

The Town has voted rules and regulations for the building of sewers from street lines to existing plumbing systems. This construction can only be performed by licensed drain layers. The drain layer will obtain all necessary permits for performing the work. Each home owner will select the drain layer of his choice, and make his arrangements for financing the work. A total of 208 house connections are now available to be

connected. A total of 12 house connections were completed in 1967. At present, the high school, Parker School, and the new home for the elderly are connected into the system.

TREE, MOTH, AND PARK DEPARTMENT:

This yaer we have had an increase in Dutch Elm Disease. Last year, we had 78 dead or diseased Elm Trees removed; this year, we removed 122. The Tree Department removed 94 trees other than Elms that were in dangerous condition.

Brush cutting was done on 36 streets. Sprayed on various streets throughout the Town for poison ivy. Pruned trees and shrubs on four streets.

General Maintenance: Flush cut 44 stumps; removed and installed voting booths in six (6) precincts (when necessary); sprayed Elm Trees for the control of larva of the Elm Leaf Beetle; planted 25 Geraniums for Memorial Day at squares (7); planted Crimson King Maple Trees on Richardson Street and Wyman Road; sprayed for Box Alder Bugs and Aphids; repaired and painted bleechers at the football field; painted benches at common; cleaned common and emptied barrels (when necessary); patched streets for Highway Department; opened catch basins and water ways; the Park Department consisted of grass cutting on all School grounds, playgrounds, and squares.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Streets, intersections throughout the Town, and short pieces were surfaced with bituminous concrete; roads scarified, graveled, and sealed (22); street signs were installed on 25 streets throughout the Town; traffic signs were put up at the discretion of the Police Chief.

Chapter 90 Maintenance: Nashua Road from Treble Cove Road for approximately 1500 feet toward the Chelmsford line.

Drainage: Basins were repaired and cleaned throughout the Town. Catch basins were built on eleven (11) streets.

NEW CONSTRUCTION UNDER WARRANT ARTICLES:

Boston Road Sidewalk: From O'Connors Hardware Store to Post Office —completed.

Guard Rail: Rogers Street—completed.

Flag Pole: Installed at Talbot Oval.

Fire Pre-emption Lights: Boston Road—contracted for—work has not been started.

Manning Road Construction: Work has been started and 95% completed.

Bridge Street Re-Construction: Work has been started and approximately 8% completed.

Drainage: Hampstead Avenue; 500' of 12" pipe has been installed and one catch basin built.

Riveredge Road: 200' of 12" pipe has been installed and four (4) catch basins built.

Edgewood and Oakwood: 260' pipe has been installed and one catch basin has been built.

Locke Road: 60' of 12" pipe has been installed and one catch basin built.

Charme Road: 240' of 12" pipe has been installed and two (2) catch basins built.

Gilman Road: 40' of 12" pipe has been installed.

Purcell Drive: 120' of 12" pipe has been installed and one catch basin built.

Last year I set about to obtain greater efficiency in all departments, and, in that way, render more complete service to the citizens. The dual control of personnel now in existence in the Town, being Civil Service and Union, automatically reduces the efficiency of management, and, corresponding service costs are increasing. Any realistic appraisal of the Public Works Department management must recognize that a department head cannot manage a department or program unless he manages personnel, and, therefore, must have some voice in the selection of employees, power to discipline and/or dismiss, setting of rules for personal conduct, and type of service renedered. I recomend to the Board of Selectmen that a study be made in this area of the Public Works Department.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY A. RACICOT,
Public Works Administrator

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

During the year ending December 31, 1967 the Board of Appeals held fifty-eight (58) hearings on Appeals.

Decisions were rendered by the Board on all hearings and the copies of all decisions have been filed in the Office of the Town Clerk as required by law.

One thousand one hundred forty-one dollars and twenty-five cents ($1,141.25) in fees were collected from the appellants to cover the cost of advertising and postage for the hearings, and the monies have been turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Several hearings on Part 1, Section 5, of the Building Code and Regulations entitled "Relief from the By-Law" were heard by the Board, and decisions were posted in the office of the Building Inspector as required and copies were filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH H. JOHNSON
Chairman

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER and ANIMAL INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as Animal Inspector and Dog Officer for the Town of Billerica for the period January 1, 1967 to December 31, 1967:

Animal Bites Reported	217
Dogs Showing Physical Signs of Rabies	0
Animals Submitted to Laboratory for Examination	4
All biting animals were quarantined for the period of time prescribed by law	214
Animals Quarantined	214
Animals Released from Quarantine	214
Laboratory Report:	
Positive	0
Negative	4
Premises Keeping Domestic Animals Inspected	51
Cattle Inspected	132
Horses Inspected	93
Swine Inspected	453
Goats Inspected	3
Sheep Inspected	36
Cattle Released from Interstate Shipment	0
Cattle Reacting to the Tuberculin Test	0
Cattle Reacting to Brucellosis Disease Blood Test	0
Premises Keeping Animals Checked	23
Animals Checked	228
Dog Complaints Investigated	1455
Diseased Dogs and other Animals Picked up and Buried	209
Dogs Confined for Care and Custody	221
Dogs Disposed of	181

All special work assigned to me by the Department of Livestock Disease Control and the Town of Billerica was attended to promptly.

I wish to thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen, all Officers of the Town, Residents of the Town of Billerica, for their cooperation in carrying out the duties as Animal Inspector and Dog Officer.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO E. LeBLANC
Animal Inspector and Dog Officer

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Herewith is the annual report of the Planning Board for the year ending December 31, 1967.

Following the election of Joseph H. Johnson, Jr. in March, the Board re-organized, electing Thomas H. Conway, Jr., Chairman, Richard D. Manning, Vice Chairman and Arthur C. Fillmore, Secretary. Mrs. Donna Flavin was re-appointed Recording Clerk to the Board and has continued to serve faithfully in that capacity.

The Planning Board had a very active year. Eleven new subdivisions were approved for a total of four hundred and fifteen lots. Subdivision control has and will continue to require most of the Board's time. With the addition of eleven new subdivisions, our Engineer, Mr. Arthur Bennett has also been kept very busy.

With the addition of sewerage to the Town of Billerica, the Planning Board has submitted an article to the Town Meeting to approve apartment buildings. Such buildings to be located only on existing sewer lines.

At this time, the Planning Board would like to thank the Departments, Boards and the Citizens for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS H. CONWAY, Chairman
RICHARD D. MANNING, V-Chairman
ARTHUR C. FILLMORE, Secretary
VINCENT M. PADULA
JOSEPH H. JOHNSON, JR.

REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

George C. Cushman	Chairman
Frank P. Bernarducci	Executive Secretary
Jeremiah B. Mulcahy	Member
Marcello Olivieri	Member
Joseph L. Ryan	Member
Paul L. Whitley	Recreation Director

Meetings

The Recreation Commission meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Recreation Office in the Memorial High School. Other meetings are held whenever necessary to determine policies or alter plans for the administration of the Recreation Program.

Program

The present Recreation Program consists of: An eight-week Summer Playground program for school age youngsters, two boys' bowling leagues, a girls' bowling league, a special swim meet and a golf tournament. For adults there is a baseball league, two basketball leagues, a men's recreation class, a women's recreation class, a women's yoga class, a baton twirling class, and a Golden Age Club.

Summer Playgrounds

There are six active playgrounds in the Town, where recreation activities take place 5 days a week over an eight-week period, from the last week in June through the second week in August.

Winter Recreation Centers

There are four Winter Recreation Centers, located at the Kennedy, Dutile, Junior High, and Ditson Schools. Activities for school age youngsters takes place in these centers seven hours each Saturday for a 15-week period during the winter months.

Twi-League Baseball

During the late spring and summer months, baseball competition in the Minute Man Twi-League takes place at the Akerson and Kohlrausch Playground. This team was set up primarily for men of post-high school age, also a Connie Mack League for high school boys.

Basketball League

On Wednesday evenings, at the Memorial High School Gym, a fifteen-week adult basketball tournament is conducted during the winter months. Also summer league — Junior and Senior boys 9 weeks.

Adult Recreation Centers

There are two adult recreation centers operating during the winter months. Women meet at the Junior High School Gym on Thursday evenings and men at the same gym on Wednesday evenings. Physical Education and Recreation activities are offered for a fifteen-week period.

Golden Age Club

This group was originally organized and now sponsored by the Recreation Commission. All senior citizens 60 years and over are eligible to join.

TOWN OF BILLERICA

Recreation Department Account	Budget Estimated in 1967 1967 Request
Salaries	$11,650.00
Expenses:	
Administration	427.00
Athletic Equipment	818.54
Related Arts	548.57
Awards	400.00
Games and Equipment	184.17
Maintenance	400.00
Playground Outing	0.00
Dues	—27.00
Clerical	79.00
Director's Expenses	150.00
Instructor's Expenses	172.00
Film	50.00
Medical	108.00
Officiation	894.00
Teen-Youth Activities	0.00
Golden Age	500.00
Total Expenses	4,835.00
Total	$16,985.00
Unexpended Balance to the Town Treasurer	8.10
	$16,976.90

	Members	Meetings	Participation
Golden Age	50	12	600
Twirling	35	15	525
Saturday Recreation	450	15	6,750
Summer Playgrounds	900	40	36,000
Winter Basketball	50	15	750
Bowling (Boys & Girls)	130	15	1,950
Twi. Summer Basketball	20	18	360
Twi. Connie Mack Baseball	20	18	360

Womans' Recreation (Thurs.) Winter	35	15	525
Yoga (Wednesday)	38	10	380
Men's Recreation (Wed.) Winter	30	15	450
Swim Meet	160	1	160
Golf Tournament	53	1	53

Your Recreation Dollar — How It Is Spent

48,773 individuals participating in activities ranging in duration from one hour to six hours.

Number Participating		Budget	
48,773	÷	$16,985.44	= 34¢ per person per activity.

REPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

All of the necessary program papers required by the United States Department of Civil Defense and the Massachusetts Department of Disaster Control have been submitted for the year 1967 and all have been approved.

Billerica is now entitled to receive matching funds under all existing Civil Defense programs. This past year, the Federal Government paid for half the administrative expenses and salaries of Civil Defense, and we have been assured that this program will continue in years to come.

During the year courses were held in First Aid, Medical Self Help, and Underwater Search and Rescue. The Auxiliary Police and Fire Department have their own continuous training programs. All newly trained personnel have been assigned.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Civil Defense Staff for their efficiency and devotion to duty. They work so hard and efficiently that we often lose sight of the fact that their time and efforts are donated to the town with no other thought of reward than thanks for a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. FARIA
Director of Civil Defense

REPORT OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The report of the Department of Public Health for the year 1967 is as follows:

The Board of Health is constituted of three members elected by the voters of Billerica for a three year term. The present Board is composed of Frederick H. Gould, Chairman; Frederick G. Brown and Warren A. Hookway. The Billerica Health Department consists of the following personnel, a Director of Public Health, a clerk typist, two Public Health Nurses, a part-time Milk and Food Sanitarian for inspectional services, laboratory service and routine sanitation tests and a part-time physician's services for clinics. Board of Health meetings are held on the first Monday of the month.

Communicable Disease Control

Diseases prescribed as dangerous to the public health are reportable to the Health Department by the physician, or by parent or guardian. The nursing service supervises the patients and contacts in accordance with the isolation and quarantine regulations established by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. Communicable diseases are reported in the following categories: Tuberculosis, Salmonella, Dog bite, Measles, Mumps, Chicken Pox, Hepatitis, Meningitis, Whooping Cough, Streptococcus Infection, Scarlet Fever, and Scarlatina.

Biologicals prepared by the Division of Laboratories, Massachusetts Department of Public Health are ordered and stocked for distribution to practicing physicians. The anti-toxins, serums, vaccines and other biological products provide physicians with the means to control communicable diseases from early childhood throughout adult life. Specimen kits are stocked for physicians use in obtaining confirmation of communicable diseases. At the Well Child Clinics, oral poliomyelitis vaccine, Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis toxoids were given to maintain individual and community levels of immunity against these communicable diseases. The advent of the new vaccine for common measles has directed the attention of physicians and public health agencies toward the eradication of this hazardous communicable disease. A clinic was held in February for all children. A Town Employees clinic for influenza vaccination was conducted to prevent an outbreak resulting in curtailment of town services.

Categorical Disease Control

Chronic progressive diseases are attacked at the community level by means of screening tests to detect early symptoms. The Tine testing for evidence of Tuberculosis was conducted for all school employees and the 1st, 3rd, 6th, 9th and 12th grades. Over 2,000 were tested. School employees and children with positive tests were followed up by the Nursing staff. The Mental Health Association of Greater Lowell provides a professional staff for the citizens of Billerica. The Town of Billerica

raises and appropriates its share of funds to the State Mental Health Program.

Zoonotic diseases, those transferred to man by lower animals are controlled at the community level by the Dog Officer and Animal Inspector. The chief concern, rabies in animals requires a program of vaccination and revaccination of dogs at regular intervals, and surveillance of wild animals as the reservoir for a potential outbreak. In August of 1966, a 10-year-old boy, living in South Dakota, was bitten by a skunk, and despite rapid clinical care, died from rabies infection within 30 days. The prevalence of rabies in skunks and bats is a nation-wide phenomena that poses danger of transference to household animals. Rabies has been found in bats throughout New England. Residents are urged to report any bites by bats and when possible to save the carcass for Laboratory examination. A public clinic for rabies was held in May to provide owners the opportunity of maintaining immunity in their dogs. The Dog Offcer and Animal Inspector investigated all reports of dog bites establishing quarantine measures, and inspects all live stock in accordance with the regulations of the State Division of Livestock Disease Control.

Child Health Protection

The first Well Child Conference was held in June and was met with an enthusiastic response by the mothers and was a real pleasure to all concerned. The medical and nursing staff are not only emphasizing the physical aspects of care of the child to the mother, but are striving to provide the best possible services to the children of this community. 47 premature babies were reported to have been born to the residents of the town. Our nursing staff made follow up visits and evaluations and 14 of the 47 families were given financial assistance for hospitalization of the child.

Environmental Health

The development of a state wide Sanitary Code initiated in 1960 was continued this year along with the revisions of the Article on sewage disposal standards. With the rapidly increasing population, Billerica is witnessing a revolution in home building. Furthermore, owners of older homes are becomng more and more aware of the need for modern sewage disposal systems, which decrease the problems which accompany living in a densely settled area. All of this has created a boom in the health services provided by this department. It is hoped that along with our new sewage treatment plant, its facilities, public sewering, that this trend will bring about a Utopia, where private sewage ceases to be a problem in our town. The inevitable benefits, both aesthetic and healthwise will make our community a better place in which to live, work and play.

The six articles adopted to date establish minimum standards for housing, farm labor camps, swimming pool construction and operation, food service establishments, and disposal of sanitary sewage in unsewered areas.

All food service establishments, restaurants, and school cafeterias were routinely inspected for maintenance of sanitary standards and for safe methods in storing, preparation and dispensing foods. Food markets and bakeries were inspected for maintenance of sanitary practices and safe practices in storge and handling of food products. Routine laboratory

analysis of multi-use eating and drinking utensils was conducted to determine compliance with standards for cleaning and disinfection of utensils.

Routine sampling of milk products delivered or sold in stores are meeting the minimum bacterial standards of the State Health Department, which was made more stringent three years ago. The three tests used on each product determines the effectiveness of sanitary control by the producer (farmer), the processor (plant) and the process (pasteurization). All sales of milk must be made under license of the Health Department.

Other premises under licensing and certification jurisdiction of the Health Department include day care centers for children (nursery schools) convalescent and nursing homes, recreational camps, (farm labor camps), public and semi-public swimming pools, and subdivisions of land for housing.

In addition, this department has been kept busy with weekly inspections of the bathing beaches and picking up of bathing water samples for analysis at the laboratory along with the investigation of environment nuisance complaints and having them abated. The town dump since being purchased by a private concern has become a problem to the town from an air pollution standpoint with its open burning of the rubbish. A Dump Study Committee was set up to study feasible ways such as incineration, sanitary land fill and rubbish pick up. The Committee will make the various recommendations at the Town Meeting in the form of articles to be voted on by the Town Representatives.

Health Information and Professional Education

The Director, Board of Health members, and Nursing Staff have all given talks on health subjects to various groups during the year.

We also do our best to keep the public informed by news releases not only about the Health Department activities but also health educational subjects of topical interest. We would like to thank the press for their cooperation.

To be able to advise and deal with the many problems met with in a generalized public health program it is important that the professional staff keep in touch with developments in their field. For this reason professional education and attendance at a limited number of professional meetings is encouraged. The Director, Board of Health members and Nursing Staff attend meetings, such as the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Northeastern Health District Association of Boards of Health, Northeastern Health Directors Association, Massachusetts Association of Registered Sanitarians, Massachusetts Public Health Association, Massachusetts Nurses Associations, Public Health Nurse Section of the Massachusetts Public Health Association.

These activities all serve to keep the Health Department alert to developments and opportunities in community health so as to better serve your interests.

This department is grateful to the individuals, organizations and other Town Departments for their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD R. ALBANESE, R.S.
Director of Public Health

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1967.

Permits were issued in the following manner for the year.

New Single Dwellings	386
Housing for the Elderly (8 dwellings with 64 dwelling units and 1 community building)	9
Additions and Alterations to Dwellings	105
Roofing and Siding	50
Garages for Private Dwellings	17
New Commercial Buildings	6
Additions and Alterations to Commercial Buildings	11
Structures (pools, signs, etc.)	40
New School	1
Alterations to Bandstand	1
Horse Sheds	2
Demolition	31
Total Permits Issued	659

Estimated Cost of New Construction	$9,671.129.00
Fees Collected and Paid to Town Treasurer	7,821.00
Fees from Sale of Building Code Books	66.75
Received and Paid to Town Treasurer	$ 7,887.75

Plumbing Permits Issued	450
Gas Permits Issued	431
Total Permits Issued	881

Plumbing Fees Collected	$ 2,457.00
Gas Fees Collected	862.00
Received and Paid to Town Treasurer	$ 3,319.00

In addition to the issuance of the above permits, the department has expended considerable time on the enforcement of the Zoning By-Laws, Plumbing and Gas Laws, and all other By-Laws which come within its jurisdiction.

There has been a small increase in the total amount of building permits issued. In addition there has been a large increase in the total amount of plumbing and gas permits issued.

Legal action has been instituted against several violators of the Building Code and Zoning By-Laws. In addition, the Plumbing and Gas Inspector, without court action attained compliance in correcting forty-four cases of defective gas piping and appliances, and seventeen cases of

violations regarding water heater installations, within the Town.

In an effort to maintain equitable enforcement and interpretation of all local and state ordinances which come within the jurisdiction of the Building Department, the members of the department have devoted many hours in conference with Town Counsel, Board of Appeal, Planning Board, Board of Health and State Inspectors.

The Inspectors continue to devote as much time as the schedule allows to the demolition of sub-standard buildings within the Town.

On May 25, 1967 William H. Moore, Jr. resigned as the Assistant Intermittent Building Inspector. On June 21, 1967 Harry J. Schwartz was appointed to this position.

On October 1, 1967 Yolanda M. Bernarducci resigned her position as Senior Clerk and Typist. On November 7, 1967 Olga E. Ellinwood was appointed Jr. Clerk and Typist.

On December 31, 1967 I terminated my services as the Building Inspector for the Town of Billerica.

I wish to thank, all the town officials, committees, town boards, my office staff, and the public for their co-operation and help. Without this co-operation and help, we could not have accomplished the results that have been attained by the building department.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE R. DeBENEDICTIS
Building Inspector
Town of Billerica

REPORT OF THE CEMETERY COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The cemeteries have shown the benefit of more care this year through the use of more help and an abundance of rainfall.

Mr. Clayton Belville was made permanent Superintendent in the past year and under his leadership we have developed a large number of lots for future sale.

The number of burials continues to increase each year, and we plan to continue to expand at Fox Hill.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC H. BROWN, Chairman
FRANK DIGNON
RUTH E. HOWARD

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Public Welfare respectfully submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1967.

The year 1967 was one of many changes with a vast increase trend in cases and costs. The new Medical Assistance Plan set up under Medicaid, Title XIX, of the Social Security Act, and effective September 1, 1966, was unremarkable until a great amount of publicity was given through the media of the press, radio, and television. In February, the inquiries and application trend started upward in great numbers, and continued until September before a tapering off was noticeable. In all, we processed 1259 cases involving 3258 children,

Aid to Families with Dependent Children, Chap. 118, and Disability Assistance, Chap. 118D, continue to show an increase in cases processed and approved, with Old Age Assistance, Chap. 118A, being very active, but with very little change in case count. There are also many categorically related cases to these programs receiving medical care only.

After much research the State Department developed a new procedure effective June 1st, and based on the concept of declaration without investigation, thus placing the responsibility, honesty, and integrity upon the applicant. These declarations were processed for eligibility in accordance with the policy set forth by the State Department. Therefore, this established a new independent trend of liberalization and the positive approach that all people are basically honest. Experience will be the guide line for change, with validation of a percentage of cases each month to determine values.

Since our colonial days and from the beginning of time, many people have become dependent upon others because of their economic condition caused by sickness or misfortune, and they have to beg or ask for assistance to overcome the rigors of life. In our great institution of society, local authority, either by selection or popular vote, has been the overseer of the welfare of these people from the days of the common bin, poor farm, almshouse, and giving in kind, to the cash payment method. There were many dark days in their lives when they were scorned and degraded, not only by society, but by the authority which was to look out for their welfare. Progress, time, and knowledge have increased the human intellect to the realization of the vast number of casualities of society left behind because of progressiveness in a fast changing world from an agricultural to industrial, and then to a technological society.

In a country with a constitution based on freedom, awareness of these conditions is manifest. By its nature, social welfare is a dynamic process of reflecting our envolving ideas of the town, state, and nation in affirmatively promoting the well being of people. The basic purpose of this is to enable all people to attain their maximum potentialities. Local authority and its function have been under constant change to meet re-

quirements established by federal and state policy. Costs have been paramount second only to our school system so that now we arrive at consolidation.

By the action of the General Court in December the new Welfare Reform Bill was passed. On June 30, 1968, the Boards of Public Welfare will be phased out and the personnel will come under direct control of the State Department. Our office will remain in the present location at least for the present. The state is making every effort to effect an orderly transition, and we, in turn, will conclude town business in an orderly manner.

On December 9th we were saddened by the death of William J Morris who was elected to the Board of Public Welfare in 1928, and who had served as chairman of the board for many years. He was a man of character and ability and his passing is a great loss to the town as an outstanding representative.

We are grateful to other town departments, individuals, organizations and the clergy, for their cooperation during the past year.

For details of receipts and expenditures, see Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. TORPEY, Chairman
ARTHUR R. HALLENBORG
RICHARD F. CONWAY
Secretary and Director

REPORT OF BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the books and accounts of the Town of Billerica were audited by the Bureau of Accounts, Department of Corporations and Taxation, as of September 30, 1967 at which time they were found to be correct with all funds properly accounted for.

A detailed report of the audit will be forwarded as soon as possible.

The detailed audit report will contain a recommendation that the collector obtain a prompt settlement of the delinquent tax and excise accounts.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM SCHWARTZ
Assistant Chief of Bureau

BILLERICA TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Forest Committee missed a valuable member in Mr. Joseph Gallant, who is on assignment in Southeast Asia. The Committee elected Mr. Howard J. Ralston to serve as alternate until Mr. Gallant returns sometime in June 1968.

Your Forest Committee Chairman, Gustav Wagner, was also away on special assignment during November and December, with the First Naval District aboard the U.S.S. Forrestal.

The Committee attended Forestry meetings in Hadley and Littleton, and is working with the State Forester, Willard Estes on a master plan for the Jones Memorial Forest and the Martina Gage lot.

The Forest was used extensively this year by the Boy and Girl Scout Troops in town. Overnight camping was held on eighteen weekends.

On April 29th in observance of Arbor and Bird Day, eighteen Boy Scouts from Troops 39 and 43 participated in a tree and hedge planting program at the Jones Memorial Forest.

In May, eleven Boys from Scout Troop 50 cleared deadfall from the fire roads running through the Jones Memorial Forest and cleared debris from Jones Brook.

The multiple use pond for wildlife and fire protection designed by Frederic B. Giebel, Work Unit Conservationist from the Middlesex Conservation District, was laid out by Mr. Giebel and the site preparation was carried on by Boy Scouts from various troops.

Thirty-five Boy Scouts received letters of credit for approval for Conservation work done by them at the Jones Memorial Forest and the Martina Gage lot in East Billerica.

The Committee wishes to thank the boys and girls that used the Forest during the year, for the fine job they did in maintaining the grounds and the camp sites.

The Committee would like to remind the townspeople that under General Laws, Chapter 132, Section 35, the Town may acquire by gift or bequest, lands for the purpose of Forestration. If you have a parcel of land you would like to give or set aside as a memorial for a loved one, contact your Forest Committee.

Members are Gustav Wagner, Chairman; Charles O. Hallenborg, and Joseph Gallant, Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

GUSTAV WAGNER, Chairman
Town Forest Committee

REPORT OF BILLERICA CONSERVATION COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Commission held regular meetings during the year with the exception of November and December, when the Chairman was out of state, on assignment with the First Naval District. The Commission also attended meetings held by the Massachusetts Association of Conservaion Commissions and attended a joint meeting with the Tewksbury Conservation Commission.

The Commission has been intouch with the Commonwealth Dept. of Public Works, Division of Waterways, regarding Article 108, voted in March 1967. To make a survey and cost study of Nutting Lake, of the feasibility of removing the fertility by dredging, under Chapter 91. The Division of Waterways requires the vote of the Town to assume liability, under the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 91 for damages that may be incurred by the work. Liability article to appear in 1968 Warrant.

The Commission was in opposition to the controversial Gas Line by the Tennessee Gas Company, because no hearing was held in this town and no plans of the route were available to the Commission or the Town.

The Commission spent countless hours working with the Dept. of Natural Resources and the Dept. of Public Health, on the Hatch Act, Chapter 220, and received notices of approval of intent on project location at the Billerica Water Treatment Plant and lines.

The Commission would again like to remind townspeople that under Chapter 40, Section 86, they can make tax deductible gifts of property, both real and personal in the name of the Town through the Conservation Commission.

Members of the Conservation Commission are: Gustav Wagner, Chairman; Florence Field, Secretary; John Fitzgerald, Joseph Johnson, Charles O. Hallenborg, Joseph Gallant and Howard J. Ralston.

Respectfully submitted,

GUSTAV WAGNER, Chairman
Conservation Commission

REPORT OF SANITARIAN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I, again, have the honor to present the report of the Sanitarian for the year ending December 31, 1967.

Routine inspections were made of all food handling establishments with bacterial swabs taken of eating and drinking utensils at those establishments serving food or drink. The swabs were examined for conformance of the state standards of no more than 100 colonies per utensils.

Samples of dairy products taken at random from delivery trucks, schools and retail outlets were examined for conformance of standards on coliform, phosphates, butterfat, total solids and standard plate count.

I have placed much attention on methods of controlling rats and mice at our business establishments and would at this time like to explain to the citizens as to why we spend so much time and effort on this phase of our program.

Domestic rats and other rodents because of their wide distribution and close association with man, provide potential resevoirs of a number of important diseases. The afflictions for which rats are responsible range from purely local discomforts caused by rodent bites to the more serious typhus fever, and the often fatal bubonic plague. Ratbite fever, as the name indicates, is transmitted to humans by the bite of the infected animal. While only a small percentage of rat bites result in ratbite fever, the disease itself often becomes important in some urban areas where several hundred persons are bitten by rodents each year. Infected rats excrete the causitive organism of salmonellosis in their urine and feces. The disease is transmitted to man from food contamination caused by infected excreta. Rats have been incriminated as the contributing factor in the transmission of various other diseases including dysentery, tapeworm and trichinosis.

Proper sanitation with principal emphasis on adequate refuse storage, collection and disposal is considered the most effective rat-control measure available. In any given rat-infected area there is more or less constant population of rats whose number is determined largely by the amount of food, water and harborage available. As more food becomes available, the rat population increases very rapidly. At the food supply diminishes the rat population very rapidly decreases. To a lesser degree, rat population fluctuations are dependent upon the availability of suitable harborage or nesting places. Rats require three things for propagation, food, water and harborage. If unsanitary conditions which provide the rat with these necessities can be eliminated the problem of rat control can likewise be eliminated.

I feel we must solicit the support and cooperation of the general public in combating rat-borne diseases. The reason for seeking this broad support lies in the fact that rats are so widely entrenched in the habitats of man that adequate control is impossible without widespread and coordinated effort.

I wish to thank you, the members of your board and other town officials who have assisted me in carrying out my duties during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. RIMBACH, R.S.
Sanitarian

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report for the year 1967.

Cash on hand January 1, 1967	$ 1,044,165.10
Receipts to December 31, 1967	15,522,865.44
	$16,567,030.54
Paid on Warrants drawn by Town Accountant to December 31, 1967	$14,307,566.22
Balance at The First National Bank of Boston	130,029.85
Balance at The First Bank and Trust Co.	209,973.18
Balance at Arlington Trust Co.	264,770.39
Balance at N. E. Merchants National Bank	15,000.00
Balance at National Shawmut Bank of Boston	25,168.25
Balance at Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	15,000.00
Balance at Lowell 5¢ Savings Bank	3,437.61
Balance at Middlesex County National Bank	1,393,459.06
Balance at Middlesex County National Bank E.D.A.	202,625.98
	$16,567,030.54

For detail of receipts and expenditures see Town Accountant's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. FOWLER
Town Treasurer

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The report of the Nursing Service under the direction of the Health Department for the year 1967. A rapidly growing town, with its many new homes and new families coming into the almost 26 square mile area, in unprecedented numbers, has impact on Health Department services as never before. The nursing service, previously giving major effort to the care of the ill, has been reorganized to contribute very materially in the prevention of disease or general health promotion, in addition to the curative services or direct nursing care. It has been a challenging span of months, for the range and depth of services on a community-wide basis in a tax-supported agency must depend upon securing the needed funds. Fortunately the year 1967 was a year of high hope, with new programs inaugurated through the efforts of Health Executive Richard Albanese whose appeal won funds for the setting up of a Well Child Clinic, and hopefully to expand the needed immunization program in the months ahead. New facilities were made available, and for the first time in the History of the Health Department, contractual services were secured, with Dr. George Boynton joining the planning and administrative section, for the direction of the general health promotion program.

The initial Well Child conference or clinic took place in June, with 12 such clinics conducted at intervals in 1967. A total of 162 children are enrolled to date with 227 clinic visits as the year ended. There is a widespread interest among young mothers, who for a number of reasons, especially limited resources, delayed the immunizations they wanted for their children. Faithful volunteers join the public health nurses for the clinic program, with appreciation expressed to Mrs. Winona LaVigne, Mrs. Elmire Ralph, Mrs. Janice Schultz, Mrs. Theresa Morgida, Mrs. Phyllis Rucinski, Mrs. Linda Harris, and Mrs. Arlene Hanson.

Measles clinics conducted prior to the Well Child program, resulted in more than 350 innoculations given. A Tuberculin testing program, planned in conjunction with the School Department for Tine Testing, included some 2000 persons, 389 of them school employees. Polio doses continue to add to the preventative care totals. They are always available at the Health Office. A cholesterol testing program is planned.

Medicaid and Medicare, government sponsored programs, have added new work, they are new and developing programs, now an integral part of the department's responsibility.

Cancer claimed the lives of five residents during the year, all had lengthy terminal illnesses. However, others with diagnoses of malignancy made good gains after surgery.

The Premature Infant program with its follow-up home visits for supervisory assistance, is gratefully received.

As the year ended a total of 1008 persons received service in the various categories within the scope of the health program.

The 12-month span has been a rewarding one, and those who helped to make it so, have been Health Executive Richard Albanese, Mrs. Muriel Wells, department secretary, whose assistance is of inestimable value; Health Board members, Dr. George Boynton, hospital and doctors, and outside Health Agencies; while patients and their families have had no small share in a pleasant year of service.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN J. HARRINGTON
BARBARA B. GEORGE

REPORT OF THE BENNETT PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

During 1967 use of the library increased beyond that of previous years. Much of the increase can be attributed to the growth of the town population. The Association has provided for this growth by extending the periods when the library is open, by improving the facilities, and by increasing and updating the reading material.

The program of improvements was continued this year. The book collection was increased by 1,444 new books, and many minor improvements were made in the library.

Mrs. Mildred Dodd and her staff have done an excellent job under the circumstances of the increased use. Mr. Lennerton, the custodian, has given careful attention to keeping the building neat and clean, and has done many of the improvements to the building and grounds.

Many gifts were received from various individuals. The Billerica Letter Carriers Association made a generous contribution. We acknowledge the receipt of these donations and thank those who provided them.

We recognize that the facilities at the Bennett Public Library are not large enough to always satisfy the needs of a growing population; and encourage all of the citizens of Billerica to consider this problem so that the necessary plan can be made to provide the facilities required to satisfy our forthcoming needs.

Those persons who are interested in furthering the aims of the library, and are not members of the association, are invited to join and become active members. The annual dues are $1.00 and may be paid to the librarian.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH R. BACON
President

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Valuation of Tax Exempted Property

Religious, Charitable, etc.	$ 688,840.00
County of Middlesex	2,564,000.00
Billerica, Town of	4,955,300.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	9,550.00
United States Government	2,100.00
	$8,219,790.00
Abatements and Exemptions	213,860.25

Abatements and Exemptions

Chapter 59, Sec. 5, Clause 22	
Disabled Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, and Widows, World War I Widows, Gold Star Parents, Holders of the Purple Heart, etc.	102,894.12
Chapter 59, Sec. 5, Clause 17, 18, 37 and 41	
Widows, Persons over 70, Blind, etc.	109,567.87
Adjustments, Form 127 and 128	1,398.26
	213,860.25

Motor Vehicle Excise

Committed to Tax Collector	Levy 1966	40,699.01
	Levy 1967	534,810.97
		575,509.98

Motor Vehicle Excise Abatements

Cars and trucks traded, duplicate registrations, etc.		
	Levy 1965	273.63
	Levy 1966	14,555.06
	Levy 1967	51,948.21
		66,776.90

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the various Departments for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY F. COLLINS, Chairman
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
AUSTIN P. BENT
Board of Assessors

REPORT OF THE BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

On February 23, 1967, the Billerica Housing Authority and Palandjian & Sons, Inc., Watertown, Massachusetts, signed the Construction Contract for the Oliver P. Greenwood Housing for Senior Citizens on River Street.

Since the demolition of existing buildings and the clearing of the site commenced the first week in March, and groundbreaking in April, the River Street section of Billerica has taken on a new look.

Project Billerica 667-1, Colonial in design; modern apartments, eight to a building; central community building, will be pleasurable living for the Senior Citizens.

At this time, being eighty-five per cent completed, we expect to have partial occupancy in March with all buildings completed and occupied in early spring.

This facility, self-supporting and self-liquidating, when completed will be an asset to the Town.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH H. JOHNSON, Chairman
LEONARD H. HARMON, Vice-Chairman
WILLIAM T. DESMOND, Treasurer
JAMES J. GALVIN, Asst. Treasurer
RUTH M. McCUE, Secretary
Billerica Housing Authority

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF WIRES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31. 1967.

Wiring Permits Issued	730
Amounts Received and Turned in to Town Treasurer	$ 3,803.00
Salary	1,800.00
Expenses:	
Mileage	$ 390.23
Office Expenses	57.00
Asst. Inspector	800.00

It is expected that an increase in industrial permits and home permits will keep us busier in 1968 than ever.

I wish to thank all officers of the Town for their cooperation in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
ALBERT J. HUGHES
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF THE BILLERICA INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Industrial Commission submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1967.

This past year, it has been very difficult securing a quorum for our monthly meetings. In the opinion of the members of the committee, the size of the commission, is too large. We hope to discuss this problem with your board at a later date.

We have sponsored two amendments to the Town Zoning By-Laws, for adoption at the 1968 Town Meeting. We feel certain that if the town meeting members adopt these amendments, the town would be placed in a much better competitive position with other towns in securing industry.

Our new industrial brochure was completed and distributed to several sources early in 1967 and the response has been very gratifying.

We are pleased to announce that two new industries started construction in Billerica this year. The New England Nuclear Corp., which purchased 50 acres of land, for future expansion, on Treble Cove Road and the Bosco Machine Co. which started construction of an 18,000 sq. ft. building at the Billerica Industries Estates on Manning Road.

May we take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Selectmen and all who have helped us in any way.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR A. CURRY, Chairman
Billerica Industrial Commission

SPECIAL ELECTION

NOVEMBER 18, 1967

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Prec. 6	Total
Frederick W. Bocko	35	134	9	23	13	16	230
Frederic R. Brown	14	21	1	7	3	3	49
Kenneth L. Buffum	8	4	1	14	39	9	75
James F. Calder	56	89	51	50	89	52	387
Jerome R. D'Addeo	47	40	15	25	25	30	182
John P. Fitzgerald	40	43	262	43	60	20	468
Arthur R. Hallenborg	148	95	53	46	38	65	445
Anthony J. Ogonowsky	1	12	7	7	1	46	74
Vincent M. Padula	38	102	239	83	33	43	538
Frank C. Theodoropoulos	12	29	36	29	1	30	137
Blanks	0	1	5	4	1	3	14
Total	399	570	679	331	303	317	2599

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Herewith is the report of the Weights and Measures Department for the year 1967.

	Sealed	Adjusted
Scales less than 10	14	1
Scales 10 to 100	81	9
Scales 100 to 5000	9	1
Scales 5,000 to 10,000	1	
Scales over 10,000	1	
A.D.V.P. Weights	49	2
Apoth. Weigths	65	
Gas Meters	66	6
Grease Meters	16	
Vehicle Tanks	2	
Fabric Meter	1	
Wire-Rope-Cordage	2	
Scales Condemned	1	
Fees Deposited with Town Treasurer		$424.40

Reweighings and Remeasurements

	No. Tested		No. Tested
Butter	435	Confectionary	94
Meats	1230	Charcoal	39
Bread	864	Dry Goods	1
Fruits and Veg.	750	Potatoes	62

Inspection and Tests

Price Markings on Food Packages	957
Lubricating Oil Jars	12
Peddlers' Scales	2
Gasoline Devices other than Sealing	46
Heating Fuel Deliveries	23
(Ticket, Price, Gallons)	

To all who co-operated with this Department, Thank You.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. CONSIDINE
Sealer

TAX COLLECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Billerica, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

Herewith is my report as your Collector of Taxes for the Year 1967.

	1953-1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	TOTALS
MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	$ 26,751.82	$ 6,119.69	$ 11,033.73	$ 11,398.93	$ 25,628.10	$ 61,756.26	$	$ 142,688.53
1967 Commitments						40,699.01	534,810.97	575,509.98
Refunds			6.60	4.40	868.87	6,635.54	11,611.07	19,126.48
Audit Adjustments (Debit)	3.00					.07		3.07
Cash Collected	344.56	160.94	302.36	767.33	3,033.23	78,029.14	449,120.53	531,758.09
Abatements					273.63	14,555.06	51,948.21	66,776.90
Audit Adjustments (Credit)	3.20	.34	70.40		10,527.53		.30	10,601.77
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	26,407.06	5,958.41	10,667.57	10,636.00	12,662.58	16,506.68	45,353.00	128,191.30
POLL TAXES								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	194.00	100.00	530.00					824.00
Refunds								
Audit Adjustments (Debit)								
Cash Collected	34.00	16.00	36.00					86.00
Abatements								
Audit Adjustments (Credit)								
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	160.00	84.00	494.00					738.00
PERSONAL PROPERTY								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	7,944.17	1,987.20	1,968.30	1,873.57	2,157.34	58,151.96		74,082.54
Transferred to Account for payment (B&M R.R.)						16,240.00		16,240.00
1967 Commitments							285,587.10	285,587.10
Refunds						5.80	79.80	85.60
Audit Adjustments (Debit)			70.40					70.40
Cash Collected	8.40				427.14	72,016.48	264,567.80	337,019.82
Abatements						201.84	176.70	378.54
Audit Adjustments (Credit)								
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	7,935.77	1,987.20	2,038.70	1,873.57	1,730.20	2,179.44	20,922.40	38,667.28
REAL ESTATE								
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	3,004.71	1,769.64	3,131.44	4,501.41	50,958.75	248,100.07		311,466.02
Transferred to Account for payment (B&M R.R.)	116,066.82	58,980.29	59,334.91	64,331.53	70,537.99	72,422.28		441,673.82
1967 Commitments							3,812,058.54	3,812,058.54
Refunds	7,300.00	8,800.00	6,900.00	26,846.51	1,883.76	665.88	34,773.41	87,169.56
Audit Adjustments (Debit)	796.22				72.84	16,466.71	.35	17,336.12
Cash Collected	116,891.54	58,994.69	61,250.61	92,624.08	106,446.08	244,653.33	3,315,124.32	3,995,984.65
Abatements	7,300.00	8,800.00	6,995.00	1,903.00	184.19	36,502.46	217,854.61	279,539.26
Transferred to Tax Title			323.95	382.38	12,655.15	11,215.28	33,603.86	58,180.62
Audit Adjustments (Credit)			149.90	17.52	850.95	.50		1,018.87
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	2,976.21	1,755.24	646.89	752.47	3,316.97	45,283.37	280,249.51	334,980.66

FARM ANIMAL EXCISE

Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	3.13	50.00	30.00	27.75		110.88
1967 Commitments					80.45	80.45
Cash Collected				27.75	62.45	90.20
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	3.13	50.00	30.00	0.00	18.00	101.13

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS

STREET BETTERMENTS

	1964	1965	1966	1967
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	12.50	110.33	654.36	
1967 Commitments				3,665.30
Audit Adjustments (Debit)		22.80		
Refunds				
1967 Pd. Adv. Commitment				4,317.73
Cash Collected		41.74	507.06	2,815.11
Cash (Pd. Adv. Str. Better.)				4,317.73
Abatements				
Transferred to Tax Title		44.39	44.39	196.67
Audit Adjustments (Credit)			2.86	211.84
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	12.50	47.00	100.05	441.68

COMMITTED INTEREST

	1964	1965	1966	1967
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	9.50	64.57	336.65	
1967 Commitments				1,750.11
Audit Adjustments (Debit)		20.00	.50	
Refunds				
1967 Pd. Adv. Commitment				
Cash Collected		30.06	245.24	1,328.14
Cash (Pd. Adv. Str. Better.)				
Abatements				
Transferred to Tax Title		31.96	30.19	125.86
Audit Adjustments (Credit)		9.64	20.00	50.69
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	9.50	12.91	41.72	245.42

ESTATES DECEASED PERSONS

	Total All Years	1959	1963
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	1,957.30	83.76	22.53
1967 Commitments			
Audit Adjustments (Debit)			
Refunds			
Cash Collected			22.53
Abatements			
Transferred to Tax Title			
Audit Adjustments (Credit)			
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	1,957.30	83.76	0.00

WATER LIENS

	1964	1965	1966	1967
Uncollected Balance 1-1-67	149.43	1,279.04	1,250.01	
1967 Commitments				11,274.93
Audit Adjustments (Debit)		4.73	22.80	349.61
Refunds				208.01
Cash Collected		663.76	521.02	8,215.70
Abatements				19.75
Transferred to Tax Title	149.43	285.07		268.02
Audit Adjustments (Credit)		22.80		
Uncollected Balance 12-31-67	0.00	262.14	751.79	3,329.08

FEES and INTEREST SCHEDULE

Fees collected and paid to Town Treasurer	6,841.25
Fees and interest added to Tax Titles	2,891.86
Trailer Fees or Tax paid to Treasurer	3,761.00
Interest collected and paid to Treasurer	76,348.40
Fees for Municipal Lien Certificates paid to Treasurer	2,289.00
Fees for Dissolving Street Betterments paid to Treasurer	26.00
	92,157.51

It has been an honor to serve the Town of Billerica in the Office of Collector of Taxes. My office staff and I wish to thank all the Town Officers and employees for their cooperative spirit during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN F. MONAHAN
Collector of Taxes.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION

TABLE OF AGGREGATES

of Property, and Taxes, as Assessed January 1, 1967

FOR BILLERICA

Compiled from the figures as entered on the tax list.
Not including figures relating to EXEMPTED PROPERTY or to the MOTOR VEHICLE and TRAILER EXCISE or to LIVE STOCK subject to FARM ANIMAL EXCISE.

	Number of Parcels Assessed	11,661		
1.	#Bills On Personal Estate		365	365
2.	#Bills On Real Estate		10,953	10,953
3.	#Bills on Farm Animal Excise		8	8
	Value of Assessed Personal Estate			
6.	Stock in Trade	$	45,900.00	
7.	Machinery		179,780.00	
8.	Live Stock		4,790.00	
	(Do not include value of farm animals)			
9.	All Other Tangible Personal Property		2,274,380.00	
10.	**Total Value of Assessed Personal Estate**			$ 2,504,850.00
	Value of Assessed Real Estate			
11.	Land Exclusive of Buildings	$	4,529,360.00	
12.	Buildings Exclusive of Land		28,908,160.00	
13.	**Total Value of Assessed Real Estate**			$33,437,520.00
14.	**Total Valuation of Assessed Estate**			$35,942,370.00
15.	Tax Rate per $1,000.00 = $114.00			
	Taxes for State, County, and City or Town Purposes, Including Overlay			
16.	On Personal Estate	$	285,552.90	
	(Item 10 x Item 15)			
	(Do Not Include Farm Animal Excise)			
17.	On Real Estate		3,811,877.28	
	(Item 13 x Item 15)			
19.	**Total Taxes Assessed**			$ 4,097,430.18

	Number of Live Stock Assessed	**General**	**Farm Animals Assessed $5 Excise**
20.	Horses (1 year old, or over)	85	
	Neat Cattle: (1 year old, or over)		

21.	Cows (Milch)	4	60
22.	Bulls, Oxen; Yearlings: Steers heifers		
23.	Swine (6 months old, or over)		24
24.	Sheep (6 months old, or over)	20	
25.	Fowl		5,320
26.	All Other - 1 Burro - 9 Goats		
27.	**Number of Acres of Land Assessed**	16,617	
28.	**Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed***	6,836	

*Each building used as a dwelling counted as ONE without regard to the number of families housed.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the Table of Aggregates according to our best knowledge and belief.

Subscribed this 30th day of October, 1967, under the penalties of perjury.

HENRY F. COLLINS
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
AUSTIN P. BENT
Board of Assessors of Billerica

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
BILLERICA 1967 RECAPITULATION

Figures Used In Fixing Tax Rate
G. L. Chap. 59, §§ 23, 25
as amended, Ch. 14, Acts of 1966

A. CITY OR TOWN: Include All Appropriations Voted Since 1966 Tax Rate was Fixed.

1. Total appropriations to be raised by taxation			$ 6,088,689.03	
2. Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds:				
(a) In 1967 $101,576.13 (b) In 1966 since 1966 rate was fixed	$ 47,499.75	$ 149,075.88		$ 6,237,764.91
3. Amount certified by Treasurer for Tax Title foreclosure, $36.00 each, (Chapter 60, § 50B)				
4. Debt and Interest Charges, matured and maturing, as certified under Chapter 44, § 16, NOT included above				
5. Amount necessary to satisfy final court judgments:				$ 4,327.40
6. Deficits due to abatements in excess of overlay of prior years 1965 $ 1,055.42		Total Deficits to be Carried to Outside Column		$ 1,055.42
8. Offsets to Cherry Sheet Estimated Receipts:—				
Construction of School Proj.—Stabilization Funds				
School Lunch Program	$ 34,123.37			
Free Public Libraries (include Regional Library)	4,466.75			
Natural Resources, Self Help Program				
(Att: Acctg. Officer Dr. Revenue 1967, Cr. Est. Receipts)	$ 38,590.12			
		Total to Outside Column		$ 38,590.12
			$ 88,308.23	$ 88,308.23

9. Any other amounts required to be raised

	1967 Estimates	1966 Underestimates
Retirement Deficit	$ 13,308.23	
County Retirement	75,000.00	

	$ 88,308.23			
B. COUNTY TAX AND ASSESSMENTS (enter Retirement Fund above)		Col. 1 of Cherry Sheet	Col. 2 of Cherry Sheet	
1. County Tax		$ 119,083.75	$ 21,480.97	
2. County Hospital		2,291.82		
Sum of Totals to be Carried to Outside Column		$ 121,375.57	$ 21,480.97	$ 142,856.54
C. STATE TAX AND ASSESSMENTS:				
1. State Recreation Areas		$ 17,939.80	$ 2,687.98	
2. Audit of Municipal Accounts		245.13		
3. State Examination of Retirement System				
4. Metropolitan District Area:— (enter total of individual charges at left)				
5. Mass. Bay Transportation Authority				
6. Mosquito Control Projects				
7. Elderly Retiree Program				
8. Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills		1,986.90		
9. State Assessment System				
10.				
11. Sum of Totals to be Carried to Outside Column		$ 20,171.83	$ 2,687.98	$ 22,859.81
D. OVERLAY of current year				$ 240,828.62
E. GROSS AMOUNT TO BE RAISED				$ 6,776,591.05
F. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS				
1. 1967 Estimated Receipts from the Local Aid and Agency Funds (must be exactly as certified on Cherry Sheet, Item 5)			$ 1,738,451.99	
2. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise			433,203.00	
3. Licenses			36,736.00	

4.	Fines	925.00
5.	Special Assessments	14,874.00
6.	General Government	8,200.00
7.	Protection of Persons and Property	1,264.00
8.	Health and Sanitation	1,244.00
9.	Highways	
10.	Charities, Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	
11.	Veterans' Services	
12.	School (local receipts of School Committee)	6,393.00
13.	Libraries (local receipts other than State Aid)	
14.	Recreation	
15.	Public Service Enterprise (such as Water Dept.)	212,193.00
16.	Cemeteries (other than Trust Funds and Sale of Lots)	5,652.00
17.	Interest: On Taxes and Assessments $ ..... On Deposit	69,301.00
18.	Farm Animal Machinery and Equipment Excise	64.00
19.	Civil Defense Reimbursement	1,584.00
20.		
21.		
22.		
23.		
24.	Total Estimated Receipts	$ 2,530,084.99
25.	Overestimates (Enter total of Column 3 of Cherry Sheet)	
26.	Amounts voted to be taken from available funds.	

Amount	Date of Vote	Funds Transferred from:
$47,499.75	Special Meeting 12/8/66	Available Funds
25,000.00	3/11/67	Appropriation Balances Article No. 118
28,442.07	3/11/67 Meeting	Chapter #679
4,466.75	3/11/67	Library Aid

9,670.44 3/11/67	Appropriation Balances	
5,496.87 3/11/67	Appropriation Balances	
2,500.00 3/11/67	Cemetery Sale of Lots	
1,000.00 3/11/67	Forest Fund	
25,000.00 3/11/67	Appropriation Balances Article No. 117	
27.	Sum of Amounts	149,075.88
28. (Add Items 25 and 27)	Total Available Funds	$ 149,075.88

29. (Add Item 24 and 28) Sum of Total to Outside Column 2,679,160.87

G. (Item E. Less F29) **NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION ON PROPERTY** $ 4,097,430.18

H.

Total Personal Property	$ 2,504,850.00	Personal Property Tax	$ 285,552.90
Valuation: Real Estate	33,437,520.00	Real Estate Tax	3,811,877.28
Total	$35,942,370.00	TAX RATE — $114.00	

I. **TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON PROPERTY** $ 4,097,430.18

J. ☐ Gain or ☐ Loss (check which) to avoid fractional divisions of tax rate (adjust overlay).

K. (Item K must be the same in amount as Item G) **TOTAL TAXES LEVIED ON PROPERTY** $ 4,097,430.18

L. ITEMS NOT ENTERING INTO THE DETERMINATION OF THE TAX RATE

	Amount	Committed Interest	Total
1. Betterment and special assessments added to taxes: (a) Street	$ 3,665.30	$ 1,750.00	$ 5,415.30
2. Water Liens added to taxes	11,274.03		11,274.03

M. (Sum of Totals of Items 1 (a) to (e), 2, and 3) **TOTAL OF ALL OTHER COMMITTMENTS** 16,689.33

N. Total amount of 1967 Taxes on property and of assessments added to taxes as Committed to Collector ..... $ 4,114,119.51

Tax Rate approved on June 26, 1967

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY F. COLLINS
ARTHUR C. BARNARD
AUSTIN P. BENT
Board of Assessors of Billerica

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Billerica, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Attached herewith is the annual report of this office for the year ended December 31, 1967:

I wish to express my appreciation to the town officers and employees for their assistance and cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH J. McKENNA
Town Accountant

Town of Billerica

ANALYSIS OF TREASURER'S RECEIPTS

Year Ended December 31, 1967

Taxes and Excise from Collector - per Schedule A		
Poll	$ 86.00	
Personal Property	320,779.82	
Real Estate	3,995,772.57	
Motor Vehicle Excise	531,735.63	
Farm Animal Excise	90.20	$ 4,848,464.22
Tax Title Redemptions		18,524.74
Street Betterment Assessments and Committed Interest		9,285.08
Licenses, Permits and Fees:		
Liquor, Beer and Wine	$ 13,162.00	
Sunday	1,280.00	
Common Victualers	93.00	
Marriage	478.00	
Gun	300.00	
Plumbing	2,384.50	
Gas	824.00	
Building	7,821.00	
Wire	3,803.00	
Septic Tanks	4,510.00	
Trailer Fees	3,762.00	
Miscellaneous	630.50	39,048.00
Water Liens Added to Taxes		9,423.01
Court Fines		388.60
Federal Welfare Grants:		

Old Age Assistance	$ 49,829.61	
Medical Assistance	174,002.37	
Aid to Families with Dependent Children	82,274.35	
Disability Assistance	22,000.00	
Old Age Assistance - Administration	3,155.63	
Medical Assistance - Administration	6,718.92	
Aid to Families with Dependent Children - Administration	10,467.95	
Disability Assistance - Administration	2,828.54	351,277.37
Federal Aid — Schools:		
Public Law 874	$ 96,492.00	
Public Law 864	4,677.76	
Public Law 88-210	4,846.00	
Public Law 89-10	38,564.00	144,579.76
Federal Aid — Sewer Project		298,600.00
State Grant for Library		4,466.75
State Reimbursement — Veterans' Abatements		4,017.36
State Reimbursement — Civil Defense		1,223.46
State Reimbursement — Loss of Taxes		614.72
State Grants for Schools:		
Chapter 70	$ 723,863.67	
Transportation of Pupils	87,070.50	
Special Education Program	40,530.00	
Vocational Education	489.25	
Tuition and Transportation	7,015.63	
Building Construction	263,724.04	1,122,693.09
State Allocation of Taxes:		
Valuation Basis	$ 377,198.56	
Meals Tax	8,486.77	
Machinery Basis	12,163.41	397,848.74
State Reimbursement — Board of Health - Premature Infants		1,039.31

DEPARTMENTAL

Town Clerk:		
Mortgages	$ 2,712.30	
Certified Papers	253.00	
Business Certificates	26.00	
By-Law Booklets	31.50	3,022.80
Town Hall — Draft Board Rent		480.00
Planning Board		980.00
Board of Appeals		1,061.25
Map Committee — Sale of Tax Maps		356.00

Police Department:			
Accident Reports	$	651.50	
Insurance Recoveries		1,626.80	2,278.30
Fire Department:			
Telephone Commission	$	118.01	
Insurance Recovery		14.95	
Sale of Junk		79.28	212.24
Building Department — Sale of Code Books			69.75
Board of Health - Nursery Fees			86.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures			430.70
Collector of Taxes:			
Lien Certificates	$	2,289.00	
Certificates of Betterment Dissolution		16.00	2,305.00
Treasurer			
Certificates of Tax Title Redemption			54.00
Board of Public Welfare:			
Temporary Aid Support and Burials — State Grants	$	2,633.02	
Disability Assistance — State Grants		1,054.84	
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — State Grants		43,727.31	
Medical Assistance — State Grants		77,151.69	
Old Age Assistance — State Grants		15,359.10	
Old Age Assistance — Individuals		113.01	140,038.97
Veterans' Benefits:			
State Grants	$	31,935.16	
Individuals		1,237.04	33,172.20
Public Works Department:			
Chapter 90 Maintenance — County	$	1,500.00	
Chapter 90 Maintenance — State		1,500.00	
Insurance Recoveries		1,036.74	
Sale of Gravel — Chapter 40		160.00	
State Grant — Bridge Street Repairs		28,442.07	32,638.81
School Department:			
School Lunch Program	$	292,135.95	
Athletics		7,136.25	
School Band Fees		368.40	
Insurance Recoveries		4,947.30	
Industrial Arts		176.05	
Adult Education Fees		1,320.00	
Summer School Tuition		3,077.00	
Rentals		1,267.50	
Miscellaneous		288.91	310,717.36
Cemetery Department:			

Sale of Lots and Graves	$	1,830.00	
Care of Lots and Graves		126.00	
Burials and Foundations		5,477.50	
Perpetual Care Bequests		6,245.00	13,678.50
Water Department:			
Sale of Water	$	192,394.93	
Installations		18,872.36	
Repairs		479.93	211,747.22
Sewerage System Receipts			9,324.17
Recreation Commission			58.75

OTHER RECEIPTS

Sale of Tax Possession Land			103.50
Taxes on Tax Possession Land Sold			4.64
Rental of Memorial Field			75.00
Rental of Water Tower Space			954.00
County Allocation of Dog License Income			2,991.58
Tax Anticipation Loan Proceeds			1,400,000.00
Proceeds from Loans Made in Anticipation of Serial Issues			950,000.00
Junior High School Construction Loan Proceeds			3,000,000.00
Water Extension Loan Proceeds — Art. 99			50,000.00
River St. Sewer Construction Loan Proceeds			63,500.00
Welfare Department Loan Proceeds			100,000.00
Interest:			
Deferred Taxes	$	76,356.27	
Tax Titles Redeemed		1,156.24	
Cemetery Funds		517.05	
Certificates of Indebtedness		11,030.90	
Faulkner Fund — Library		45.50	
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund		365.00	
School Trust Funds		3,457.68	
Stabilization Fund		2,529.86	95,458.50
State Withholding Tax Compensation			312.76
Group Life Insurance Return Premium			2,701.00
Cemetery — Withdrawals from Income Acct.			6,850.00
Cemetery — Withdrawal from Thompson Fund			300.00
Bowers Fund Withdrawal			500.00
Common Seat Fund Withdrawal			60.00
Workmen's Compensation Fund Withdrawal			8,033.15
Fees on Taxes Collected			6,841.25
Stabilization Fund Investment Matured			150,000.00
Premium on Junior High School Bond			2,997.00
Accrued Interest on Junior High School Bond			3,333.33
Accrued Interest on Water Loan			245.83
Accrued Interest on Junior High School			

Temporary Loan			262.11
Accrued Interest on Water Works Loan			221.25
Accrued Interest on Standpipe Loan			24.58
Premium on Tax Note			5.00
Employee Deductions:			
Group Insurance	$	54,791.15	
Retirement Deductions		65,047.99	
Federal Withholding Taxes		469,107.73	
State Withholding Taxes		61,054.37	
Savings Bonds		18,396.44	668,397.68
Dog Licenses Collected for County			5,005.50
Sale of Dogs — Collected for County			3.00
Bid and Plans Deposits — Public Works Dept.			26,878.57
Planning Board — Performance Bonds			25,590.00
Certificate of Deposit Matured			900,000.00
Refunds:			
General Department	$	34,785.44	
Prior Year's Appropriations		2,233.54	37,018.98
TOTAL RECEIPTS			$15,522,865.44

TAX AND EXCISE RECEIPTS

Schedule A

Year Ended December 31, 1967

Year	Poll	Personal Property	Real Estate	Motor Vehicle	Farm Animal	Total
1954	2.00			$ 57.24		$ 59.24
1955				40.29		40.29
1956				9.07		9.07
1957		8.40		67.81		76.21
1958				87.55		87.55
1959	4.00			19.10		23.10
1960	4.00		59,269.72	26.37		59,300.09
1961	24.00		56,825.60	37.13		56,886.73
1962	16.00		58,994.69	160.94		59,171.63
1963	36.00		61,250.61	295.30		61,581.91
1964			92,624.08	751.93		93,376.01
1965		427.14	107,242.30	3,033.23		110,702.67
1966		55,776.48	244,653.33	78,029.14	27.75	378,486.70
1967		264,567.80	3,314,912.24	449,120.53	62.45	4,028,663.02
TOTAL	$86.00	$320,779.82	$3,995,772.57	$531,735.63	$90.20	$4,848,464.22

Town of Billerica

ANALYSIS OF BUDGET ITEMS

Account No.		Available	Expended	Balance
	Selectmen:			
101	Salaries	$ 5,000.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 0.00
102	Clerk Wages	850.00	600.00	250.00
103	Expenses	2,835.00	2,805.38	29.62
104	Out-of-State Travel	200.00	0.00	200.00
	Accountant:			
111	Salary	7,755.00	7,755.00	0.00
112	Clerk Wages	2,000.00	1,994.88	5.12
113	Expenses	650.00	602.64	47.36
114	Capital Outlay	75.00	65.00	10.00
115	Out-of-State Travel	200.00	200.00	0.00
	Treasurer:			
121	Salary	6,794.00	6,794.00	0.00
122	Clerk Wages	8,243.00	8,243.00	0.00
123	Expenses	1,799.00	1,796.15	2.85
124	Perfecting Tax Titles	2,384.65	145.94	2,238.71
125	Other Finance Expenses	6,300.00	6,223.00	77.00
127	Capital Outlay	125.00	75.00	50.00
	Collector of Taxes:			
131	Salary	8,039.00	8,039.00	0.00
132	Clerk Wages	11,846.00	11,846.00	0.00
133	Expenses	3,480.00	3,475.78	4.22
134	Tax Sale Expense	700.00	648.53	51.47
135	Capital Outlay	265.00	253.00	12.00
	Assessors:			
141	Salary (Principal)	7,986.00	7,986.00	0.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)	3,000.00	3,000.00	0.00
143	Clerk Wages	11,858.00	11,857.82	.18
144	Expenses	4,390.00	3,389.12	1,000.88
145	Capital Outlay	100.00	100.00	0.00
146	Out-of-State Travel	100.00	0.00	100.00
	Town Clerk:			
151	Salary	7,259.00	7,259.00	0.00
152	Clerk Wages	4,217.00	4,216.68	.32
153	Expenses	1,750.00	1,663.69	86.31
154	Capital Outlay	150.00	147.20	2.80
155	Out-of-State Travel	200.00	200.00	0.00
	Board of Registrars:			
161	Salaries	1,067.50	1,067.50	0.00
162	Clerk Wages	4,878.90	4,878.28	.62
163	Expenses	4,200.00	4,173.12	26.88

	Election Department:			
166	Salaries	2,832.42	2,832.42	0.00
167	Expenses	1,330.00	1,320.12	9.88
	Town Hall:			
171	Salary	5,830.00	5,829.77	.23
172	Vacation Replacement	452.00	320.00	132.00
173	Expenses	3,775.00	3,747.24	27.76
	Legal Department:			
176	Expenses	7,000.00	6,165.92	834.08
177	Small Claims	1,000.00	920.37	79.63
	Finance Committee:			
181	Expenses	900.00	768.15	131.85
182	Clerk Wages	600.00	318.14	281.86
	Planning Board:			
186	Clerk Wages	712.00	711.72	.28
187	Expenses	2,790.00	662.27	2,127.73
188	Engineering Service	7,540.00	7,274.50	265.50
189	Greater-Lowell Plan'ng Dist.	2,681.00	2,680.05	.95
	Board of Appeals:			
191	Expenses	1,100.00	1,022.10	77.90
192	Clerk Wages	350.00	285.00	65.00
	Personnel Board:			
196	Expenses	139.00	138.91	.09
197	Capital Outlay	25.00	0.00	25.00
198	Clerk Wages	150.00	101.61	48.39
	Police Department:			
201	Salaries	251,175.00	243,538.74	7,636.26
202	Clerk Wages	2,947.00	1,483.50	1,463.50
203	Expenses	23,859.00	23,557.76	301.24
204	Ambulance Expenses	1,747.00	1,745.64	1.36
205	Perpetual Outlay	450.00	450.00	0.00
206	Matron Services	750.00	464.73	285.27
	Fire Department:			
211	Salaries	333,542.00	332,234.37	1,307.63
212	Clerk Wages	3,000.00	2,495.93	504.07
213	Expenses	24,052.00	23,992.91	59.09
214	Forest Fire Patrol	200.00	0.00	200.00
215	Capital Outlay	1,500.00	1,378.96	121.04
	Civil Defense:			
221	Salary	1,300.00	1,300.00	0.00
222	Clerk Wages	850.00	850.00	0.00
223	Expenses	3,950.00	3,933.53	16.47
	Building Department:			
231	Salaries	18,134.00	17,026.68	1,107.32

232	Clerk Wages	4,967.00	4,612.22	354.78
233	Expenses	3,350.00	2,808.97	541.03
234	Demolition	2,000.00	1,690.00	310.00
235	Out-of-State Travel	100.00	100.00	0.00
236	Capital Outlay	100.00	98.50	1.50
	Wire Inspector:			
241	Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00	0.00
242	Asst. Salary	800.00	800.00	0.00
243	Expenses	550.00	447.23	102.77
	Sealer of Weights and Measures:			
251	Salary	1,200.00	1,150.00	50.00
252	Expenses	600.00	599.85	.15
	Dog Officer:			
261	Salary and Expenses	3,500.00	3,025.57	474.43
	Cattle Inspector:			
301	Salary	250.00	180.52	69.48
	Board of Health:			
311	Salaries	8,932.00	8,624.01	307.99
312	Clerk Wages	3,725.00	3,670.67	54.33
313	Expenses	9,250.00	9,024.40	225.60
314	Director's Expenses	1,100.00	1,095.60	4.40
315	Garbage Contract	40,687.50	30,687.50	10,000.00
316	Hospitalization	9,158.69	8,847.35	311.34
317	Board Expenses	300.00	300.00	0.00
318	Engineering Services	200.00	0.00	200.00
319	Contract Medical Expenses	1,500.00	600.00	900.00
	Public Health Nurse:			
321	Salaries	10,838.00	9,978.84	859.16
	Milk Inspector:			
331	Salary	2,250.00	2,175.00	75.00
332	Expenses	700.00	700.00	0.00
	Public Works:			
401	Salaries	282,174.00	253,443.40	28,730.60
402	Overtime	16,000.00	17,655.83	(1,655.83)
403	Out-of-State Travel	200.00	0.00	200.00
404	Expenses	34,800.00	31,767.45	3,032.55
406	Capital Outlay	2,600.00	1,981.83	618.17
	Highway Department:			
411	Expenses	36,300.00	14,665.36	21,634.64
412	Equipment Rental	4,000.00	3,048.00	652.00
413	Road Machinery	5,000.00	4,888.07	111.93
414	Tar and Oil	30,000.00	25,390.46	4,609.54
415	Chapter 90 Maintenance	4,500.00	4,500.00	0.00
416	Chapter 90 Construction	11,900.00	0.00	11,900.00
417	Snow and Sand	57,005.55	74,341.19	(17,335.64)

418	Street Lighting	35,000.00	32,264.34	2,735.66
419	Bituminous Concrete	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
420	Surveying and Engineering	7,600.00	3,823.53	3,776.47
421	Sidewalk Repair	2,000.00	0.00	2,000.00
	Water Department:			
451	Expenses	44,000.00	43,207.90	792.10
452	Chemicals and Lab Supplies	30,000.00	24,497.55	5,502.45
	Park and Tree Department:			
461	Tree Department Expense	3,000.00	2,438.35	561.65
462	Poison Ivy	500.00	380.42	119.58
463	Moth Control	1,000.00	908.03	91.97
464	Parks and Playgrounds	2,000.00	1,528.01	471.99
465	Dutch Elm	800.00	567.17	232.83
	Sewerage Department:			
471	Expenses	3,500.00	3,159.91	340.09
	Welfare Department:			
501	Salaries	20,340.00	20,340.00	0.00
502	Administration	500.00	481.65	18.35
511	Welfare Benefits	227,600.00	226,745.14	854.86
	Department of Veterans' Services			
571	Salary	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00
572	Expenses	530.00	529.93	.07
573	Clerk Wages	1,750.00	1,749.02	.98
575	Veterans' Benefits	73,200.00	80,729.70	(7,529.70)
	School Department:			
601	Salaries	2,307,143.00	2,307,030.99	112.01
602	Expenses	754,164.34	752,881.19	1,283.15
603	Out-of-State Travel	1,000.00	405.00	595.00
604	Vocational Education	11,000.00	10,917.61	82.39
651	Regional Vocational School Operating Assessment	1,849.00	1,848.39	.61
	Maturing Debt and Interest:			
701	Standpipe Construction	4,000.00	4,000.00	0.00
702	Water Works	30,000.00	30,000.00	0.00
703	Water Mains (1954)	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00
705	Water Mains (1956)	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
706	Ditson School	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
707	Parker School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00	105,000.00	0.00
709	Nuttings Lake School	32,000.00	32,000.00	0.00
710	Water Extension	28,000.00	28,000.00	0.00
711	Junior High Addition	80,000.00	80,000.00	0.00
712	Dutile School	35,000.00	35,000.00	0.00
713	Kennedy School	60,000.00	60,000.00	0.00
714	Sewer and Building	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
715	Sewer Construction	60,000.00	60,000.00	0.00

716	Fire Station	20,000.00	20,000.00	0.00
751	Bond Interest	159,886.00	159,885.10	.90
752	Short Term Interest	35,000.00	30,186.72	4,813.28
	Recreation Commission:			
801	Salaries	10,980.00	10,978.00	2.00
802	Expenses	3,402.00	3,387.85	14.15
803	Golden Age	500.00	375.80	124.20
804	Capital Outlay	180.00	179.90	.10
	Cemetery:			
811	Salaries	18,000.00	17,990.00	10.00
812	Expenses	4,450.00	4,433.41	16.59
	Unclassified:			
851	Printing Town Reports	3,516.80	3,516.80	0.00
852	Memorial Day	1,500.00	1,490.45	9.55
853	Building Insurance	16,000.00	14,174.00	1,826.00
854	Group Insurance	53,000.00	47,813.98	5,186.02
855	Workmen's Compensation	18,230.82	17,110.07	1,120.75
856	V. F. W.	200.00	200.00	0.00
857	D. A. V.	200.00	200.00	0.00
858	V.F.W. (Solomon Post)	200.00	0.00	200.00
859	Civil Service Clerk	275.00	275.00	0.00
890	Reserve Fund	32,000.00	32,000.00	0.00

The following transfers from the Reserve Fund were made by the Finance Committee:

Snow and Sand	$ 7,005.55
Memorial Day	500.00
Board of Health — Salaries	306.00
Board of Health — Expenses	1,500.00
Board of Health — Hospitalizations	3,158.69
Nashua Road Drainage	24.60
Police — New Cruisers	1,500.00
Public Works Department — Capital Outlay	600.00
Public Works Department — Expense	2,400.00
Other Finance Expenses	3,103.00
Collector of Taxes — Expense	230.00
Tax Sales Expense	250.00
Town Hall — Salary	80.00
Town Hall — Expenses	700.00
Ambulance Expenses	200.00
Selectmen Expenses	900.00
Election Expenses	180.00
Election Salaries	132.42
School Department Expenses	5,721.34
Veterans' Benefits	3,200.00
Board of Registrars — Salaries	67.50
Board of Registrars — Clerk Wages	840.90
TOTAL	$32,000.00

The Cemetery Commissioners and Board of Selectmen authorized the following transfers from the Cemetery Perpetual Care Income Fund:

Cemetery — Salaries and Wages	$ 5,000.00
Cemetery — Expenses	2,850.00
TOTAL	$7,850.00

In accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 31, the Board of Selectmen and Director of Accounts authorized payments of liabilities in excess of appropriations for Veterans' Benefits, Public Works Department — Overtime and Snow and Sand.

ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES

Year Ended December 31, 1967

Budget Account No.					
	Selectmen:				
101	Salaries		$ 5,000.00		
102	Clerk Wages		600.00		
103	Expenses:				
	Dues	$ 190.00			
	Office Supplies	44.44			
	Check Tellers' Services	460.50			
	Custodian's Services at Town Meeting	307.71			
	Reporting Town Meetings	96.50			
	Expenses to Meetings	305.90			
	Telephone	118.85			
	Printing and Advertising	465.82			
	Constable's Fees	12.50			
	Equipment for Executive Secretary's Office	459.20			
	Refinishing Floors	175.00			
	Use of Auto — Executive Secretary	73.00			
	Miscellaneous	95.96	2,805.38		
	Executive Sec. — Salary		1,346.08	$	9,751.46
	Town Accountant:				
111	Salary		$ 7,755.00		
112	Clerk Wages		1,994.88		
113	Expenses:				
	Office Supplies	$ 290.03			
	Dues	40.00			
	Telephone at Town Hall	123.61			
	Expenses to Meetings	74.00			
	Service Contract on Calculators	75.00	602.64		
114	Capital Outlay—Office Chair		65.00		
115	Out-of-State Travel		200.00		10,617.52
	Treasurer:				
121	Salary		$ 6,794.00		
122	Clerk Wages		8,243.00		
123	Expenses:				
	Office Supplies	$ 1,112.94			
	Expenses to Meetings	81.30			
	Use of Auto	129.40			
	Surety Bond	272.00			

	Dues		12.00	
	Telephone		188.51	1,796.15
124	Perfecting Tax Titles:			
	Clerk Wages	$	98.01	
	Use of Auto		33.60	
	Miscellaneous		14.33	145.94
125	Other Finance Expenses:			
	Costs of Securing Junior High School Loan	$	6,100.00	
	Certifying Notes		123.00	6,223.00
127	Capital Outlay — Chair and Filing Cabinet			75.00 23,277.09
	Collector of Taxes:			
131	Salary			$ 8,039.00
132	Clerk Wages			11,846.00
133	Expenses:			
	Surety Bond	$	508.30	
	Office Expense		2,621.02	
	Telephone		184.02	
	Dues		10.00	
	Expenses to Meetings		82.50	
	Deputy Collector's Fee		50.00	
	Use of Auto		19.94	3,475.78
134	Tax Sale Expense:			
	Advertising	$	208.00	
	Recording		396.00	
	Notary's Fees		24.75	
	Supplies		19.78	648.53
135	Capital Outlay:			
	Adding Machine	$	100.00	
	Fan		20.00	
	Chairs		133.00	253.00 24,262.31
	Assessors:			
141	Salary (Principal)			$ 7,986.00
142	Salaries (Assistants)			3,000.00
143	Clerk Wages			11,857.82
144	Expenses:			
	Photostatic Copies of Deeds	$	1,171.45	
	Use of Autos		967.21	
	Expenses to Meetings		198.10	
	Dues		42.00	
	Office Expense		728.61	

	Telephone		239.00		
	Water		42.75	3,389.12	
	1966 Appropriation — Revision				
	Assessor Maps			700.00	
145	Capital Outlay:				
	Water Cooler	$	66.00		
	Chair		34.00	100.00	27,032.94
	Town Clerk:				
151	Salary			$ 7,259.00	
152	Clerk Wages			4,216.68	
153	Expenses:				
	Office Expenses	$	453.70		
	Printing and Advertising		732.30		
	Telephone		287.55		
	Expenses to Meetings		84.14		
	Dues		40.00		
	Surety Bond		10.00		
	Insurance		56.00	1,663.69	
154	Capital Outlay —				
	Filing Cabinet			147.20	
155	Out-of-State Travel			200.00	13,486.57
	Board of Registrars:				
161	Salaries			$ 1,067.50	
162	Clerk Wages			4,878.28	
163	Expenses:				
	Listing Services	$	1,949.34		
	Printing and Advertising		2,164.45		
	Office Supplies		59.33	4,173.12	10,118.90
	Election Department:				
166	Salaries			$ 2,832.42	
167	Expenses:				
	Custodian's Services	$	481.24		
	Printing and Advertising		799.95		
	Food		38.93	1,320.12	4,152.54
	Town Hall:				
171	Salary:				
	Regular Custodian	$	5,749.77		
	Sick Leave Replacement		80.00	5,829.77	
172	Vacation Replacement			320.00	
173	Expenses:				
	Electric	$	1,205.78		
	Fuel		1,270.84		
	Insurance		222.16		

	Janitor Supplies	355.96		
	Repairs	359.90		
	Water	126.15		
	Draping Buildings	179.00		
	Flags	27.45	3,747.24	9,897.01
176	Legal Department Expenses			6,165.92
177	Small Claims			920.37
	Finance Committee:			
181	Expenses:			
	Printing	$ 720.15		
	Dues	35.00		
	Postage	10.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	3.00	768.15	
182	Clerk Wages		318.14	1,086.29
	Planning Board:			
186	Clerk Wages		711.72	
187	Expenses:			
	Surveying	$ 25.00		
	Dues	40.00		
	Printing and Advertising	107.00		
	Recording Fees	8.00		
	Office Expense	458.42		
	Expenses to Meetings	23.85	662.27	
188	Engineering Services		7,274.50	
	Greater-Lowell Planning District Assessment		2,680.05	
	Engineering Services — from Bond Forfeiture Proceeds		350.00	11,678.54
	Board of Appeals:			
191	Expenses:			
	Office Expense	$ 333.75		
	Printing and Advertising	688.35	1,022.10	
192	Clerk Wages		285.00	1,307.10
	Personnel Board:			
196	Expenses:			
	Dues	$ 35.00		
	Office Expense	77.42		
	Expenses to Meetings	26.49	138.91	
198	Clerk Wages		101.61	240.52
	Police Department:			
201	Salaries:			

	Chief	$ 9,682.82		
	Custodian	6,928.93		
	Other Officers	226,926.99	243,538.74	
202	Clerk Wages		1,483.50	
203	Expenses:			
	Vehicle Expenses	$ 3,658.32		
	Equipment for Men	2,629.96		
	Electricity	1,316.08		
	Fuel	621.72		
	Telephone	989.50		
	Repairs	690.48		
	Office Expense	1,231.74		
	Laundry	38.60		
	Radio Service	929.84		
	Rubbish Removal	22.00		
	Custodian's Supplies	258.82		
	Traffic Lines	340.20		
	Gasoline and Oil	7,133.85		
	Insurance	1,749.48		
	Signs	650.05		
	Training Program	75.00		
	Boat Expenses	329.08		
	Expenses to Meetings	75.00		
	Water	236.60		
	Photo Supplies	343.56		
	Medical Care	120.45		
	Miscellaneous	117.43	23,557.76	
204	Ambulance Expenses:			
	Insurance	$ 670.70		
	Repairs	447.90		
	Laundry	122.55		
	Supplies	268.49		
	Radio Repairs	123.50		
	Medical Care	82.50		
	Miscellaneous	30.00	1,745.64	
205	Capital Outlay — Office Equip.		450.00	
206	Matron's Services		464.73	
	New Police Officers:			
	Salaries	$ 8,931.65		
	Uniforms and Equipment	748.10	9,680.05	
	Three Cruisers		10,187.00	
	Mobile Radio Units		3,565.00	
	Sirens		800.00	
	Heating System Repairs		2,050.00	297,522.42

Fire Department:

211	Salaries:				
	Chief	$	9,683.82		
	Other Officers		322,550.55	332,234.37	
212	Clerk Wages			2,495.93	
213	Expenses:				
	Vehicle Expenses	$	3,849.95		
	Equipment for Men		3,485.81		
	Insurance		1,038.92		
	Gasoline and Oil		1,328.36		
	Electricity		1,641.78		
	Telephone		1,132.58		
	Hose		1,135.16		
	Radio Repairs		380.88		
	Water		62.00		
	Chemicals		962.99		
	Alarm Boxes, etc.		1,963.95		
	Medical Care		261.10		
	Fuel		3,241.06		
	Supplies		722.99		
	Food		114.28		
	Dues and Subscriptions		54.00		
	Office Expense		572.20		
	Repairs		2,044.90	23,992.91	
	Alarm System — Riverhurst Road			637.00	
	Alarm System — Boston Road			1,300.00	
	Alarm System — Webb Brook Road			1,274.00	
	Fire Pre-Emption Lights			26.50	
	Chief's Automobile			1,825.50	
	New Fire Station:				
	Contractor	$	4,199.05		
	Painting		380.00		
	Humidifier		120.00		
	Miscellaneous		164.28	4,863.33	
215	Capital Outlay — Equipment			1,378.96	370,028.50
	Civil Defense:				
221	Salary			$ 1,300.00	
222	Clerk Wages			850.00	
223	Expenses:				
	Telephone	$	750.65		
	Use of Auto		1,084.20		
	Office Expense		363.69		
	Equipment and Repairs		1,727.49		
	Dues		7.50	3,933.53	6,083.53

	Building Department:				
231	Salaries:				
	Building Inspector	$ 8,415.70			
	Plumbing Inspector	7,371.71			
	Asst. Building Inspectors	1,239.27	$ 17,026.68		
232	Clerk Wages		4,612.22		
233	Expenses:				
	Use of Auto	$ 2,025.83			
	Office Expenses	512.95			
	Telephone	171.99			
	Dues	23.00			
	Expenses to Meetings	75.20	2,808.97		
234	Demolition		1,690.00		
236	Capital Outlay		98.50	26,236.37	
	Wire Inspector:				
241	Salary		$ 1,800.00		
242	Assistant's Salary		800.00		
243	Expenses:				
	Use of Auto	$ 402.10			
	Office Supplies	45.13	447.23	3,047.23	
	Sealer of Weights and Measures:				
251	Salary		$ 1,150.00		
252	Expenses:				
	Telephone	$ 73.45			
	Use of Auto	412.70			
	Supplies	88.70			
	Clerical Assistance	25.00	599.85	1,749.85	
	Dog Officer:				
261	Salary and Expenses:				
	Salary		$ 1,155.57		
	Use of Auto		880.00		
	Telephone		66.00		
	Office Expense		50.00		
	Use of Kennels		550.00		
	Independent Contr. Fee		324.00	3,025.57	
301	Cattle Inspector — Salary			180.52	
	Board of Health:				
311	Salaries:				
	Board	$ 1,100.00			
	Agent	7,524.01	$ 8,624.01		
312	Clerk Wages		3,670.67		
313	Expenses:				
	Mosquito Spraying	$ 4,308.86			

	Disposing of Animals		335.00	
	Telephone		668.08	
	Medicines and Drugs		924.90	
	Rent — Clinic		120.00	
	Signs		138.00	
	Dues		56.50	
	Expenses to Meetings		31.50	
	Office Expense		1,746.56	
	Photographer		695.00	9,024.40
314	Director's Expenses — Use of Auto			1,095.60
	Garbage Contract — 1966	$	10,687.50	
315	Garbage Contract — 1967		20,000.00	30,687.50
316	Hospitalization			8,847.35
317	Board Expenses — Use of Auto			300.00
319	Contract Medical Expenses			600.00
	Public Health Nurse:			
321	Salaries	$	9,978.84	
322	Expenses — Use of Auto		1,003.60	10,982.44
	Milk Inspector:			
331	Salary	$	2,175.00	
332	Expenses — Use of Lab.		700.00	2,875.00
	State Mental Health Program Assessment			2,363.30
	Dump Study Committee Exp.			45.00 79,115.27
	Public Works Department:			
401	Salaries:			
	Public Works and Highway	$	113,219.41	
	Tree Department		6,916.49	
	Water Department		107,623.90	
	Park Department		5,301.49	
	Moth		1,094.69	
	Dutch Elm Disease Control		12,631.96	
	Sewer Department		6,655.46	$ 253,443.40
	Engineering Aide — Compensation			$ 1,815.24
	Chief Sewer Treatment Plant: Operator — Salary			2,735.93
402	Overtime			17,655.83
404	Expenses:			
	Gasoline and Oil	$	5,048.03	
	Equipment and Repairs		6,864.96	
	Insurance		5,604.49	
	Maintenance of Buildings		2,046.24	

	Fuel		4,123.41	
	Office Expense		3,066.31	
	Telephone		2,035.45	
	Use of Auto			
	Convention Expense			
	Meals Allowances		160.50	
	Supplies		695.22	
	Roof — Repairs		1,349.00	
	Miscellaneous		48.99	31,767.45
406	Capital Outlay			1,981.83
411	Highway Expenses:			
	Stone and Gravel	$	5,360.31	
	Equipment and Repairs		3,028.53	
	Street Signs		677.05	
	Drainage		5,324.67	
	Loan		169.00	
	Miscellaneous		105.80	14,665.36
412	Equipment Rental			3,048.00
413	Road Machinery			4,888.07
414	Tar and Oil			25,390.46
	Chapt. 90 Construction — 1965			234.00
415	Chapter 90 — Maintenance			4,500.00
417	Snow and Sand:			
	Plowing	$	48,348.89	
	Salt		17,898.64	
	Sand		7,102.50	
	Equipment and Repairs		991.16	74,341.19
418	Street Lighting			32,264.34
419	Bituminous Concrete			20,000.00
420	Surveying and Engineering			3,823.53
	Water Department:			
451	Expenses:			
	Light and Power	$	20,377.45	
	Pipe and Fittings		6,553.37	
	Meters and Fittings		6,953.24	
	Equipment and Repairs		1,871.92	
	Consultant Chemists		5,802.91	
	Use of Auto		1,146.30	
	Dues		40.09	
	Hydrants		217.80	
	Office Expense		244.82	43,207.90
452	Chemicals and Lab. Supplies			24,497.55
	Water Extensions — 1966:			
	Payments to Contractor	$	1,744.36	
	Payment of Fed. Advance		438.51	2,182.87

	Water Extension —			
	Treble Cove Road			122.06
	Water Extensions —			
	Art. 99 - 1967:			
	Payments to Contractor	$	29,017.67	
	Engineering Consultants		7,233.77	
	Payment of Fed. Advance		2,204.19	
	Advertising		56.25	38,511.88
	Water Extensions — Albion Rd.			5,958.95
	Expansion of Water Facilities —			
	Art. 49 - 1967:			
	Payments to Contractor	$	7,830.58	
	Engineering Consultants		25,797.70	
	Easement Awards		8,525.00	
	Water Damages		200.00	
	Appraiser's Fees		1,085.00	
	Advertising		245.65	43,683.93
	Standpipe Construction —			
	Art. 49 - 1967			2,954.52
	Purchase of Musgrave Land			5,000.00
	Filter Repairs			4,940.72
461	Tree Department Expenses:			
	Stump Removal	$	675.00	
	Chemicals		611.01	
	Dues		6.00	
	Equipment and Repairs		1,146.34	2,438.35
462	Poison Ivy Control			380.42
463	Moth Control			908.03
464	Parks and Playgrounds:			
	Gravel, Loam, etc.	$	385.90	
	Equipment and Repairs		1,142.11	1,528.01
465	Dutch Elm Disease Control			567.17
471	Sewerage Department Expense:			
	Light and Power	$	845.94	
	Use of Auto		106.42	
	Pumping Sludge		480.00	
	Chemicals		945.62	
	Supplies		103.94	
	Printing and Advertising		259.75	
	Repairs		387.24	
	Miscellaneous		31.00	3,159.91
	New Sewerage System Exp.			1,259.44
	Pick-up Truck			2,500.00
	Road Grader			24,785.00
	Tractor with Backhoe			8,995.00

Rotor Mover		49.95	
Two Jacobson Trimmers		109.95	
Two 75" Locke Triplex		2,669.50	
Sander Body		1,990.00	
Training Program		150.00	
Talbot Oval — Flag Pole		387.00	
Guard Rail — Rogers Street		370.10	
Reconstruct Manning Road		27,000.00	
Storm Drainage — Oakwood Ave.		313.11	
Storm Drains — Hampstead Ave.		1,612.60	
Nashua Road Drainage		24.60	
Hillside Road Drainage		1,678.28	
Sidewalk — Boston Road		1,190.87	
Sidewalk — Andover Rd. to Carline Drive		480.00	
Bridge Street Repairs		7,791.10	
Engineering Services — Sewer Rates		2,322.38	
Sewer Construction:			
Payments to Contractors	793,362.14		
Engineering Consultants	82,761.50		
Payments of Fed. Advance	20,640.00		
Land Damages	250.00	897,013.64	1,655,289.42
Charged to Federal Grant	$ 422,449.53		
Charged to 1965 Approp.	427,364.82		
Charged to 1967 Approp.	47,199.29		
	$ 897,013.64		

Welfare Department:
Salaries:

	Town Approp. No. 501	Federal Grants	Total
Board	$ 900.00		$ 900.00
Director	2,000.00	8,020.00	10,020.00
Social Worker	12,000.00	3,157.38	15,157.38
Clerks	5,440.00	6,395.79	11,835.79
TOTAL	$ 20,340.00	$ 17,573.17	$ 37,913.17

502	Administration:		
	Telephone	$ 352.65	
	Office Expense	9.00	
	Desk	120.00	$ 481.65

511	Welfare Benefits:			
	General Relief	$ 15,362.58		
	Disability Assistance	10,858.25		
	Old Age Assistance	27,964.70		
	Aid to Families with Dependent Children	82,516.32		
	Medical Assistance	90,043.29	226,745.14	
	Medical Assistance — from Loan Proceeds		100,000.00	
	Aid to Families with Dependent Children: Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants	$ 73,815.37		
	Use of Auto	285.25		
	Office Expense	211.20	74,311.82	
	Old Age Assistance — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants	$ 47,282.63		
	Use of Auto	109.00		
	Office Expense	313.52	47,705.15	
	Medical Assistance — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants	$ 153,204.43		
	Office Expense	254.52	153,450.95	
	Medical Assistance to Aged — Federal Grants:			
	Office Expense	$ 561.53		
	Use of Auto	145.95	707.48	
	General Relief — 1966 Approp.		760.48	
	Bowers Fund Disbursements		634.88	
	Disability Assistance — Federal Grants:			
	Cash Grants	$ 19,335.65		
	Use of Auto	188.05		
	Office Expense	2,016.77	21,540.47	664,259.19
	Department of Veterans' Services:			
571	Salary		1,500.00	
572	Expenses:			
	Dues	$ 20.00		
	Expenses to Meetings	150.00		
	Telephone	150.45		
	Use of Auto	32.20		
	Office Expense	177.28	529.93	

573	Clerk Wages		1,749.02	
575	Veterans' Benefits:			
	Cash Grants	$ 59,138.15		
	Med. and Dental Paymts.	17,757.49		
	Insurance	759.79		
	Mtge. Pay. for Veterans	834.29		
	Rent Paymts. for Veterans	186.00		
	Groceries	942.93		
	Utilities	587.62		
	Funeral Services	350.00		
	Miscellaneous	173.45	80,729.70	84,508.65
	School Department:			
601	Salary:			
	Superintendent	$ 16,313.16		
	Assistant Superintendent	13,866.06		
	Clerks	41,449.45		
	Attendance Officer	5,521.20		
	Teachers — High School	572,329.89		
	Teachers — Elementary	1,275,255.16		
	Supervisors	24,247.06		
	Nurses	22,040.00		
	Maintenance Men	33,243.84		
	Custodians — High School	47,553.10		
	Custodians — Elementary	117,449.45		
	Traffic Officer	8,746.05		
	Physicians	1,550.00		
	Matrons	8,855.04		
	Audio Visual	4,852.63		
	School Committee Clerk	515.00		
	Cafeteria Manager	4,358.70		
	Data Processing Director	7,893.47		
	Psychologist	8,638.40		
	Guidance	20,269.14		
	Library Director	10,042.24		
	Library Clerk	2,038.43		
	Guidance Clerk	4,075.83		
	I.B.M. Clerk	1,190.00		
	Librarians	4,395.69		
	Special Teachers	50,342.00	2,307,030.99	
602	Expenses:			
	Transportation	$ 206,128.76		
	Fuel and Light	123,200.49		
	Text Books	54,109.51		
	Office Supplies	2,858.40		
	High School Athletics	24,033.80		
	Teaching Supplies	94,536.68		
	Telephone	7,693.02		
	School Committee Expense	526.09		
	Expenses to Meetings	107.70		
	Repairs by Maint. Men	10,041.45		

	Library Expenses		41,103.98	
	Nurses' Supplies		1,752.77	
	Dues		170.00	
	Graduation Expense		119.25	
	Insurance		3,843.92	
	Maintenance Supplies		33,598.96	
	Maintenance Repairs		56,335.05	
	Replacements — Equip.		17,861.91	
	New Equipment		32,446.99	
	Guidance Supplies		3,876.13	
	Food Transportation		705.00	
	Tuition		536.00	
	Handwriting Supervision		3,782.00	
	Driver Education Expense		1,060.67	
	Rubbish Disposal		1,845.75	
	Pest Control		550.00	
	Honeywell — Service Contract		2,125.71	
	I.B.M. Fees		13,381.56	
	Superintendent Expenses		1,671.37	
	Supervisors Expenses		47.60	
	Principals' Expenses		508.75	
	Collective Bargaining Fees		1,613.59	
	Art Room, Plumbing		985.00	
	Summer School Salaries		9,600.00	
	Miscellaneous		123.33	752,881.19
603	Out-of-State Travel			405.00
604	Vocational Education:			
	Transportation	$	2,952.85	
	Tuition		7,964.76	10,917.61
651	Regional Vocational School:			
	Operating Assessment			1,848.39
	Adult Education:			
	Salaries	$	5,270.00	
	Expenses		495.21	5,765.21
	School Lunch Program:			
	Salaries	$	102,565.12	
	Food, etc.		199,132.72	301,697.84
	Athletics — Revolving Fund:			
	Salaries			2,800.00
	Federal Aid — Public Law 874:			
	Salaries	$	103,472.00	
	Expenses		8,941.16	112,413.16

	Federal Aid —			
	Public Law 88-210		4,526.36	
	Fed Aid — Public Law 89-10:			
	Salaries	$ 26,818.00		
	Expenses	5,709.03	32,527.03	
	School Band Fund		470.00	
	Kent Fund		18.75	
	Unpaid Bills		5,623.10	
	High School Fire Damage		4,303.50	
	Vining School Roof — 1966		14,849.93	
	School Land — No. Billerica		26,000.00	
	No. Billerica School Const.		3,072.75	
	River Pines School Const.		11,811.36	
	East Billerica School Const.		9,994.31	
	Junior High School Const.		1,186,069.41	4,795,025.89
	Bennett Public Library Assoc.:			
	Salaries		$ 14,240.95	
	Books		6,065.52	
	Electric		712.55	
	Subscriptions		335.85	
	Fuel		247.63	
	Office Supplies		325.55	
	Book Binding		518.95	
	Telephone		51.07	
	Insurance		254.14	
	Miscellaneous		37.55	
			22,789.76	
	Faulkner Fund Disbursements		45.50	22,835.26
	Maturing Debt and Interest:			
701	Standpipe Construction	$ 4,000.00		
702	Water Works	30,000.00		
703	Water Mains (1954)	10,000.00		
704	Filtration Plant	15,000.00		
705	Water Mains (1956)	20,000.00		
706	Ditson School	20,000.00		
707	Parker School	35,000.00		
708	Memorial High School	105,000.00		
709	Nuttings Lake School	32,000.00		
710	Water Extension	28,000.00		
711	Jr. High Addition	80,000.00		
712	Dutile School	35,000.00		
713	J. F. Kennedy School	60,000.00		
714	Sewer and Building	20,000.00		
715	Sewer Construction	60,000.00		
716	Fire Station	20,000.00	574,000.00	

751	Bond Interest	159,885.10		
752	Short Term Interest	30,186.72	190,071.82	
	Tax Anticipation Loans		1,400,000.00	
	Anticipation of Serial Issue Loans		700,000.00	2,864,071.82
	Recreation Commission:			
801	Salaries		$ 10,978.00	
802	Expenses:			
	Clerk	$ 56.00		
	Office Supplies	120.30		
	Telephone	125.52		
	Fees	210.00		
	Equipment	2,145.93		
	Umpires	120.00		
	Use of Auto	450.10		
	Manager — Basketball League	160.00	3,387.85	
803	Golden Age		375.80	
804	Capital Outlay		179.90	14,921.55
	Cemetery Department:			
811	Salaries		$ 17,990.00	
812	Expenses:			
	Equipment and Repairs	$ 1,597.30		
	Insurance	202.00		
	Truck Expense	688.01		
	Telephone	168.79		
	Fuel	381.66		
	Electric	59.27		
	Trimming Trees	300.00		
	Gasoline and Oil	341.63		
	Office Supplies	153.25		
	Loam, Shrubs, etc.	51.50		
	Miscellaneous	20.00	4,433.41	
	Cemetery Expansion — Article 84 - 1967		2,455.00	
	Gray Fund		3.75	
	Thompson Fund — Salaries		286.17	25,168.33
851	Town Report			3,516.80
852	Memorial Day			1,490.45
853	Building Insurance			14,174.00
854	Group Insurance			47,813.98
855	Workmen's Compensation			17,110.07
856	V.F.W. (Pinehurst)			200.00
857	D.A.V.			200.00

859	Civil Service Clerk		275.00
	Industrial Commission:		
	Brochures	$ 1,743.80	
	Photographs	13.00	
	Printing	207.25	1,964.05
	Forest Committee Expenses		77.00
	Conservation Comm. Expenses		209.39
	Shade Tree, etc.		498.14
	Band Concerts		966.00
	Tax Map Committee Expenses		167.14
	Printing By-Laws		200.00
	Unpaid Bills — Article 13, 1967		8,203.48
	Unpaid Bills — Article 14, 1967		2,063.55
	Bandstand Repairs		3,775.00
	Bantam — Pee Wee Program		500.00
	Babe Ruth League		500.00
	Little League		500.00
	Audit of Municipal Accounts		245.13
	Motor Vehicle Excise Assess.		1,986.90
	County Tax		111,961.87
	State Parks Assessment		21,469.29
	Retirement Fund Assessment		82,070.00
	County Hospital Assessment		2,291.82
	Bottling Permit — to State		10.00
	Court Judgments:		
	Children's Hospital	$ 3,865.48	
	Massachusetts General Hosp.	461.92	
	Louis P. Izzo	4,600.00	8,927.40
	Stabilization Funds Re-invested		100,000.00
	Investments on Certificates of Deposit		1,900,000.00
	Common Seat Fund Expenditures		60.00
	Accrued Interest on Water Loan		245.83
	Dog Licenses — Collected for County		5,040.00
	Employee Deductions:		
	Group Insurance	$ 53,045.02	
	Retirement Deductions	65,047.99	
	Federal Withholding Taxes	469,107.73	
	State Withholding Taxes	61,054.37	
	Savings Bonds	18,041.25	666,296.36
	Refunds:		
	Taxes	$ 87,255.16	
	Motor Vehicle Excise	19,126.48	
	Water Liens	208.01	
	Sewer Rates	60.00	
	Water Rates	188.99	

Water Installations	371.21	
Tax Titles	32.31	
Tax Fees and Interest	62,099.65	
General Relief Overpayment	2.30	
Plan Deposits	150.00	
Bid Deposits	26,698.57	
Planning Board — Bonds	4,475.00	
Cemetery — Sale of Lots	15.00	
Cemetery — Perpetual Care Bequests	25.00	
Departmental	34,785.44	235,493.12
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		$14,307,566.22

BALANCE SHEET — GENERAL FUND
Year Ending December 31, 1967

ASSETS

Cash			$2,259,464.32
Investment in Certificate of Deposit			1,000,000.00
Taxes Received per Exhibit A:			
Poll		$ 738.00	
Personal Property		38,665.78	
Real Estate		335,111.77	374,515.55
Uncollected Excise per Exhibit A:			
Motor Vehicle		$ 128,191.30	
Farm Animal		101.13	128,292.43
Claims Against Estates of Deceased Persons			1,957.30
Tax Title Accounts		$ 217,195.98	
Tax Possessions		37,491.45	254,687.43
Sewer Accounts Receivable			6,073.85
Water Rates Accounts Receivable		$ 102,875.16	
Water Repairs Accounts Receivable		3,946.25	
Water Liens Added to Taxes:			
1959	$ 83.76		
1965	262.14		
1966	751.79		
1967	3,329.08	4,426.77	111,248.18
Street Betterment Assessments:			
Unapportioned Assessments		$ 8,011.23	
Added to Taxes — 1964		12.50	
Added to Taxes — 1965		47.00	
Added to Taxes — 1966		100.05	
Added to Taxes — 1967		441.68	
Committed Interest — 1964		9.50	
Committed Interest — 1966		41.72	
Committed Interest — 1967		245.42	8,922.01
Departmental Accounts Receivable			39,975.19
State and County Aid for Highways — Accounts Receivable			49,418.94

DEFICITS

Overlay — 1964	$ 28.85
Overlay — 1965	182.19
Overlay — 1966	33,145.86
State Recreation Areas	3,529.49
Retirement Fund Assessment	7,070.00
Court Judgment — Louis P. Izzo	4,600.00
Public Works Department — Overtime	1,655.83

Snow and Sand	17,335.64	
Veterans' Benefits	7,529.70	75,077.56
Loans Authorized and Issued		250,000.00
TOTAL		$4,559,632.76

LIABILITIES, RESERVES and SURPLUS

Tailings		$ 817.55	
Deposits		40.00	
Planning Board — Performance Bonds		57,930.00	
Dog Licenses — Collected for County		69.25	
Sale of Dogs — Collected for County		33.00	
Group Insurance — Employee Deductions		1,991.43	
Savings Bonds Deductions		1,844.64	
Anticipation of Serial Issue Loans:			
Water Expansion — Article 49	$ 225,000.00		
Standpipe Const. — Article 49	25,000.00	250,000.00	
Overpayment Reserved		197.51	$ 312,923.38
Overlays Reserved for Abatement:			
1958		$ 1,083.00	
1961		66.53	
1962		43.50	
1963		1.99	
1967		22,795.81	23,990.83
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:			
Street Assessments		$ 8,922.01	
Motor Vehicle		128,191.30	
Farm Animal		101.13	
Estates of Deceased Persons		1,957.30	
Tax Titles and Possessions		254,687.43	
Sewerage System		6,073.85	
Departmental		39,975.19	
State and County Highway Aid		111,124.18	600,575.33
County Reimbursement — Dog Licenses			2,991.58
Accrued Interest — Junior High School Bond			3,333.33
County Tax Overestimate			7,121.88
Overlay Surplus			1,100.68
Special Funds — Per Exhibit B			222,723.68
Unexpended Appropriation Balances — Per Exhibit C			2,486,175.92
Surplus Revenue			898,696.15
TOTAL			$4,559,632.76

EXHIBIT A

TAXES and EXCISE RECEIVABLE

December 31, 1967

Year	Poll	Personal Property	Real Estate	Motor Vehicle	Farm Animal	Total
1953		$ 50.00		$ 39.50		$ 89.50
1954	$ 2.00	225.49	$ 69.00	2,001.49		2,297.98
1955	2.00	274.55	76.36	706.03		1,058.94
1956		763.62		666.85		1,430.47
1957	2.00	828.24		3,759.23		4,589.47
1958	4.00	717.12	361.88	3,067.70		4,150.70
1959	22.00	1,055.42	551.06	3,257.60		4,886.08
1960	42.00	2,255.26	1,417.84	6,790.80	$ 3.13	10,509.03
1961	86.00	1,766.07	557.07	6,117.86		8,527.00
1962	84.00	1,987.20	1,784.04	5,958.41	50.00	9,863.65
1963	494.00	2,038.70	627.40	10,667.57	30.00	13,857.67
1964		1,873.57	783.37	10,636.00		13,292.94
1965		1,730.20	3,350.87	12,662.58		17,743.65
1966		2,179.44	45,283.37	16,506.68		63,959.49
1967		20,920.90	280,249.51	45,353.00	18.00	346,541.41
Total	$738.00	$38,665.78	$335,111.77	$128,191.30	$101.13	$502,807.98

Included above are the following unpaid taxes due from the Boston and Maine Corporation:

1967 Real Estate Taxes	$69,221.94
1967 Personal Property Taxes	15,390.00
TOTAL	$84,611.94

EXHIBIT B

SPECIAL FUNDS INCLUDED IN GENERAL CASH

December 31, 1967

Medical Assistance — U. S. Grant	$ 30,699.56
Old Age Assistance — U. S. Grant	3,697.76
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — U. S. Grant	12,204.74
Disability Assistance — U. S. Grant	4,194.55
Medical Assistance — U. S. Grant — Administration	7,317.14
Old Age Assistance — U. S. Grant — Administration	978.36
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — U. S. Grant — Administration	2,667.52
Disability Assistance — U. S. Grant — Administration	3,228.97
School Lunch Program	27,088.66
High School Athletics — Revolving Fund	6,036.40
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 874	7,129.29
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 864	5,512.56
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 88-210	332.89
Federal Aid — Schools — Public Law 89-10	6,061.42
School Band Fund	211.20
Zadok Howe Fund Income	2,474.03
Spaulding Fund Income	394.16
Stearns Fund Income	201.14
Faulkner Fund Income	242.49
Kent Fund Income	2,791.21
Rogers Fund Income	47.67
Cemetery Trust Funds Income	395.59
Cemetery — Sale of Lots Fund	583.20
Cemetery — Perpetual Care Bequests	6,595.00
Cemetery — Gray Fund Income	81.25
Cemetery — Thompson Fund Income	13.83
Forest Fund	1,750.00
East Billerica School Construction Grant — Lowell Gas Co.	8,860.00
Treble Cove School Construction Grant — Mass. Electric Co.	853.00
Federal Grant — Sewer Construction	68,950.47
Stabilization Fund	2,065.62
Planning Board — Bond Forfeiture	1,314.70
Haynes Fund Income	243.02
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund Income	1,031.05
Bowers Fund Income	105.48
Workmen's Compensation Fund	1,120.75
TOTAL	$222,723.68

EXHIBIT C

UNEXPENDED APPROPRIATION BALANCES

December 31, 1967

Perfecting Tax Titles	$ 2,238.71
Preparation of Tax Maps — 1964	645.68
Preparation of Tax Maps — 1967	500.00
Industrial Commission	1,965.07
Council for the Aging	120.43
Forest Committee — 1966	221.48
Forest Committee — 1967	10,000.00
Conservation Fund — 1963	11.85
Conservation Commission — 1965	1,082.87
Conservation Commission — 1966	1,190.14
Conservation Commission — 1967	1,250.00
River Pines School Construction	27,856.57
East Billerica School Construction	47,789.71
School Land Acquisition Expenses	4,792.75
New Junior High School Construction	1,813,930.59
School Land Cost — North Billerica	4,000.00
North Billerica School — Architectural Engineering and Legal Services	21,927.25
North Billerica School — Architectural Engineering Legal and Consultation Expenses — Special Town Meeting 1967	75,000.00
Vining School Roof — 1966	12,150.07
Vining School Roof — 1967	33,000.00
Football Field and Track Field Plans	5,000.00
Advertising Tax Title Lots	798.00
Employment of Engineers, etc. — Talbot Mills, etc.	1,321.27
Planning Board Expenses — 1963	450.00
Planning Board — Expenses of Appealing Decisions of the Board of Appeals	1,000.00
Chapter 90 Construction — 1965	8,538.46
Chapter 90 Construction — 1966	11,900.00
Chapter 90 Construction — 1967	11,900.00
Bridge Street Repairs — State Grant	38,387.78
Bridge Street — Damages and Costs	910.00
Sidewalk — Andover Road to Carline Drive	8,925.80
Sidewalk — Baldwin Road to Bellflower Road	7,500.00
Sidewalk — Boston Road	3,116.63
Land Damages — Sidewalk — Salem Road	5,500.00
Engineering Work — Sidewalk — Baldwin Road	3,868.00
Land for Pumping Station	50.00
Sewer Construction	18,506.52
Sewer Construction — River Street	17,800.71
Treble Cove Road Construction — Non-Chapter 90	1,300.00
Storm Drainage — Oakwood Avenue	4,686.89

Storm Drainage — Hampstead Avenue	1,887.40
Chain Link Fence	1,650.00
Two Jacobsen Trimmers	110.05
Two 75" Lock Triplex Reverse Gears	130.50
Mobile Radio System	5,812.00
In Service Training Program — 1966	75.00
In Service Training Program — 1967	150.00
Manning Road Reconstruction	3,000.00
Chapter 40 Gravel	250.00
Water Extensions — 1966	1,125.68
Water Extensions — Treble Cove Road	301.38
Water Extension — Article 49 — 1967	181,316.07
Standpipe Construction — Article 49 — 1967	22,045.48
Water Extensions — 1967	34,488.12
Water Extensions — 1967 Special Town Meeting	3,922.77
Water Extensions — Albion Road	41.05
Unpaid Bills — 1964	60.95
Unpaid Bills — 1966	960.39
Unpaid Bills — 1967	887.21
Unpaid Bills — School Department	13.20
New Fire Station	4,028.46
New Fire Station — 1966	1,768.78
M.B.T.A. Charges	841.70
V.F.W. — 1966	200.00
V.F.W. — 1967	200.00
Collector of Taxes — Legal Services	500.00
Assessors Expenses — 1967	1,000.00
Assessors — Services of Appraisers — 1967	500.00
Police — Mobile Radio Units	310.00
Fire Pre-Emption Lights	5,841.50
Garbage Contract	10,000.00
Dump Study Committee	455.00
Cemetery Expansion	45.00
Bandstand	125.00
TOTAL	$2,486,175.92

STATEMENT OF DEBT ACCOUNTS

December 31, 1967

Amount to be Provided in Future Years for	
Principal Payments	$8,019,500.00
Loans Payable:	
Street, Sewer and Police Station Bonds	$ 20,000.00
Ditson School Addition	20,000.00
Standpipe Construction	8,000.00
Parker Elementary School	175,000.00
Water Loan — 1954 — Filtration Plant	88,000.00
Water Loan — 1953	230,000.00
Water Mains Extensions — 1954	20,000.00
Memorial High School	735,000.00
Vining School	235,000.00
Water Mains Extensions — 1956	60,000.00
Junior High School	3,000,000.00
Treble Cove School	545,000.00
East Billerica School	945,000.00
Sewerage System	1,680,000.00
Fire Station	45,000.00
Water Extension — 1967	50,000.00
Welfare Loan	100,000.00
River Street Sewer Construction	63,500.00
TOTAL LOANS PAYABLE	$8,019,500.00

NOTE: The above figures do not include the following authorized loans:

Water Treatment Plant	$1,754,000.00
Standpipe Construction	546,000.00
Sewer Construction	1,100,000.00
Water Extensions — Treble Cove Road	6,200.00
TOTAL	$3,406,200.00

DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

December 31, 1967

Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments Not Due	$38,302.59
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments Revenue	
Due in 1965	$ 15.50
Due in 1966	15.50
Due in 1967	15.50
Due in 1968	3,019.41
Due in 1969	3,019.41
Due in 1970	3,019.36
Due in 1971	2,969.81
Due in 1972	2,910.02
Due in 1973	2,634.11
Due in 1974	2,469.61
Due in 1975	2,460.36
Due in 1976	2,442.36
Due in 1977	2,420.36
Due in 1978	2,322.86
Due in 1979	2,305.86
Due in 1980	2,305.86
Due in 1981	2,305.86
Due in 1982	1,650.84
TOTAL	$38,302.59

BALANCE SHEET — TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1967

ASSETS

Cash and Securities	$223,673.41

FUND BALANCES

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:		
North Cemetery	$25,085.00	
Fox Hill Cemetery	58,115.00	
South Cemetery	3,745.00	
Old Hill Cemetery	550.00	$ 87,495.00
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts		4,058.77
Cemetery — General Care Funds:		
Faulkner Cemetery Fund — North	$ 2,444.89	
Gray Cemetery Fund — Fox Hill	1,385.52	
Thompson Cemetery Fund — Fox Hill	1,755.52	5,585.93
Abbott Singing Fund		2,322.01
Bowers and Stearns Charity Fund		42,605.17
Common Seat Fund		246.22
Haynes — Jenkins Drinking Fountain Fund		130.35
Charles H. Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund		10,688.72
Watering Trough Fund		171.33
Winthrop Faulkner Library Fund		1,000.00
Zadok Howe Fund		9,969.59
Stearns Fund		1,104.49
Faulkner Fund		2,470.79
Kent Fund		1,708.67
Rogers Fund		81.59
French School Fund		6,092.95
Workmen's Compensation Fund		5,359.98
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund		4,508.06
Stabilization Fund		3,980.89
Elliott Fund		1,853.64
TOTAL		$223,673.41

TRUST FUND ASSETS

December 31, 1967

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Principal Accounts:

Bank of Deposit	North	Fox Hill	South	Old Hill	Total
First Federal Savings and Loan Association	$ 550.00	$ 2,425.00			$ 2,975.00
Lowell Institution for Savings	2,350.00	950.00		$ 375.00	3,675.00
Central Savings Bank	8,125.00	19,275.00	$ 1,095.00		28,495.00
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	9,435.00	29,715.00	2,350.00	75.00	41,575.00
Lowell Cooperative Bank	350.00	1,650.00	200.00		2,200.00
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	4,275.00	4,100.00	100.00	100.00	8,575.00
TOTAL	$25,085.00	$58,115.00	$ 3,745.00	$ 550.00	$87,495.00

Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts:			
Central Savings Bank		$ 1,782.30	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		277.46	
Lowell Institution for Savings		1,398.89	
First Federal Savings and Loan Association		600.12	4,058.77
Cemetery — General Care Funds:			
Faulkner Fund —			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		$ 2,444.89	
Gray Fund —			
Lowell Institution for Savings		1,385.52	
Thompson Fund —			
Middlesex County National Bank	$1,152.69		
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	602.83	1,755.52	5,585.93
Abbott Singing Fund —			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank			2,322.01
Bowers and Stearns Charity Fund:			
Middlesex County National Bank		$ 3,013.94	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		24,412.85	
Central Savings Bank		8,203.87	
Lowell Institution for Savings		6,974.51	42,605.17
Common Seat Fund — Central Savings Bank			246.22
Haynes - Jenkins Drinking Fountain Fund:			
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank			130.35

Charles H. Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund:		
Lowell Institution for Savings	$ 206.57	
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	1,482.15	
United States Treasury Bond	2,000.00	
Central Savings Bank	7,000.00	10,688.72
Watering Trough Fund —		
Central Savings Bank		171.33
Winthrop Faulkner Library Fund —		
Central Savings Bank		1,000.00
Workmen's Compensation Fund:		
Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank	$ 359.98	
First Bank and Trust Company	5,000.00	5,359.98
Stabilization Fund:		
Central Savings Bank		3,980.89
Elliot Fund — Lowell Five Cents Savings Bank		1,853.64
Funds with Assets in Hands of Trustees:		
Zadok Howe Fund	$ 34,239.26	
Spaulding Fund	7,969.59	
Stearns Fund	1,104.49	
Faulkner Fund	2,470.79	
Kent Fund	1,708.67	
French Fund		6,092.95
Rogers Fund		81.59
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund	4,508.06	58,175.40
TOTAL TRUST FUND ASSETS		$223,673.41

Town of Billerica
ANALYSIS OF TRUST FUNDS
Year Ended December 31, 1967

	Balance Jan. 1, 1967	New Funds 1967	Income 1967	Withdrawals 1967	Balance Dec. 31, '67
Cemetery — Perpetual Care —					
Principal Accounts:					
North Cemetery	$ 25,085.00				$ 25,085.00
Fox Hill Cemetery	58,115.00				58,115.00
South Hill Cemetery	3,745.00				3,745.00
Old Hill Cemetery	550.00				550.00
Cemetery — Perpetual Care — Income Accounts	7,133.99	$ 2,964.47	$ 810.31	$ 6,850.00	4,058.77
Cemetery — General Care Funds:					
Faulkner Cemetery Fund	2,343.71		101.18		2,444.89
Gray Cemetery Fund	1,328.49		57.03		1,385.52
Thompson Cemetery Fund	1,975.87		79.65	300.00	1,755.52
Abbott Singing Fund	2,225.91		96.10		2,322.01
Bowers and Stearns Fund	41,303.65		1,801.52	500.00	42,605.17
Common Seat Fund	292.92		13.30	60.00	246.22
Haynes - Jenkins Fund	124.98		5.37		130.35
Kohlrausch Jr. Playground Fund	10,618.88		69.84		10,688.72
Watering Trough Fund	163.89		7.44		171.33
Winthrop Faulkner Fund — Library	1,000.00		45.50	45.50	1,000.00
Zadok Howe Fund	34,224.14		15.12		34,239.26
Spaulding Fund	7,959.87		9.72		7,969.59
Stearns Fund	1,098.59		5.90		1,104.49
Faulkner Fund	2,466.56		4.23		2,470.79
Kent Fund	1,700.94		7.73		1,708.67
Rogers Fund	82.35			.76	81.59
French Fund	5,939.92		153.03		6,092.95
Workmen's Compensation Fund	12,892.60		500.53	8,033.15	5,359.98
Stabilization Fund	53,807.64		173.25	50,000.00	3,980.89
Haynes Memorial Trust Fund	4,457.38		50.68		4,508.06
Elliot Fund	1,758.26		95.38		1,853.64
TOTAL	$282,395.54	$ 2,964.47	$ 4,102.81	$ 65,789.41	$223,673.41

SCHEDULE OF FUTURE PRINCIPAL PAYMENTS ON TOWN DEBT*

As of December 31, 1967

Payable in	Welfare Loan	Jr. High School	Stand-pipe Constr.	Water Works Loan	Water Mains 1954	Filtration Plant	Water Mains 1956	Ditson School Addition	Parker School	Water Ext. 1967
1968	$100,000.00	$ 160,000.00	$4,000.00	$ 30,000.00	$10,000.00	$15,000.00	$20,000.00	$20,000.00	$ 35,000.00	$50,000.00
1969		160,000.00	4,000.00	30,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00		35,000.00	
1970		160,000.00		30,000.00		15,000.00	20,000.00		35,000.00	
1971		160,000.00		30,000.00		15,000.00			35,000.00	
1972		160,000.00		30,000.00		10,000.00			35,000.00	
1973		160,000.00		30,000.00		10,000.00				
1974		160,000.00		10,000.00		8,000.00				
1975		160,000.00		10,000.00						
1976		160,000.00		10,000.00						
1977		160,000.00		10,000.00						
1978		160,000.00		10,000.00						
1979		155,000.00								
1980		155,000.00								
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	$100,000.00	$3,000,000.00	$8,000.00	$230,000.00	$20,000.00	$88,000.00	$60,000.00	$20,000.00	$175,000.00	$50,000.00

Payable in	River St. Sewer Constr.	Memorial High School	Nuttings Lake School	Sewer & Building Bonds	Treble Cove School	East Billerica School	Sewer Construction	Fire Station	TOTAL
1968	$ 63,500.00	$105,000.00	$ 30,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 35,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 15,000.00	$ 832,500.00
1969		105,000.00	30,000.00		35,000.00	60,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	579,000.00
1970		105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00	15,000.00	555,000.00
1971		105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		520,000.00
1972		105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		515,000.00
1973		105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		480,000.00
1974		105,000.00	25,000.00		35,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		458,000.00
1975			25,000.00		30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		340,000.00
1976			25,000.00		30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		340,000.00
1977					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		315,000.00
1978					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		315,000.00
1979					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		300,000.00
1980					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		300,000.00
1981					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		300,000.00
1982					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		300,000.00
1983					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		300,000.00
1984					30,000.00	55,000.00	60,000.00		300,000.00
1985							60,000.00		215,000.00
1986							60,000.00		215,000.00
1987							60,000.00		60,000.00
1988							60,000.00		60,000.00
1989							60,000.00		60,000.00
1990							60,000.00		60,000.00
1991							60,000.00		60,000.00
1992							60,000.00		60,000.00
1993							60,000.00		60,000.00
1994							60,000.00		60,000.00
1995							60,000.00		60,000.00
	$ 63,500.00	$735,000.00	$235,000.00	$ 20,000.00	$545,000.00	$ 945,000.00	$1,680,000.00	$ 45,000.00	$8,019,500.00

As of December 31, 1967

Payable in	Welfare Loan	Jr. High School	Stand-pipe Constr.	Water Works Loan	Water Mains 1954	Filtration Plant	Water Mains 1956	Ditson School Addition	Parker School	Water Ext. 1967
1968	$ 1,220.97	$ 120,000.00	$ 140.00	$ 6,450.00	$ 420.00	$ 1,980.00	$ 1,860.00	$ 200.00	$ 4,200.00	$ 613.33
1969		113,600.00	70.00	5,550.00	210.00	1,642.50	1,240.00		3,360.00	
1970		107,200.00		4,650.00		1,305.00	620.00		2,520.00	
1971		100,800.00		3,750.00		967.50			1,680.00	
1972		94,400.00		2,850.00		630.00			840.00	
1973		88,000.00		1,950.00		405.00				
1974		81,600.00		1,350.00		180.00				
1975		75,200.00		1,050.00						
1976		68,800.00		750.00						
1977		62,400.00		450.00						
1978		56,000.00		150.00						
1979		49,600.00								
1980		43,400.00								
1981		37,200.00								
1982		31,000.00								
1983		24,800.00								
1984		18,600.00								
1985		12,400.00								
1986		6,200.00								
1987										
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1993										
1994										
1995										
	$ 1,220.97	$1,191,200.00	$ 210.00	$ 28,950.00	$ 630.00	$ 7,110.00	$ 3,720.00	$ 200.00	$ 12,600.00	$ 613.33

Payable in	River St. Sewer Constr.	Memorial High School	Nuttings Lake School	Sewer & Building Bonds	Treble Cove School	East Billerica School	Sewer Construction	Fire Station	TOTAL
1968	$ 775.32	$ 16,380.00	$ 6,050.00	$ 680.00	$ 16,880.00	$ 31,185.00	$ 57,120.00	$ 1,530.00	$ 267,684.62
1969		13,860.00	5,225.00		15,760.00	29,205.00	55,080.00	1,020.00	245,822.50
1970		11,340.00	4,468.75		14,640.00	27,225.00	53,040.00	510.00	227,518.75
1971		8,820.00	3,781.25		13,520.00	25,410.00	51,000.00		209,728.75
1972		6,300.00	3,093.75		12,400.00	23,595.00	48,960.00		193,068.75
1973		3,780.00	2,406.25		11,280.00	21,780.00	46,920.00		176,521.25
1974		1,260.00	1,718.75		10,160.00	19,965.00	44,880.00		161,113.75
1975			1,031.25		9,120.00	18,150.00	42,840.00		147,391.25
1976			343.75		8,160.00	16,335.00	40,800.00		135,188.75
1977					7,200.00	14,520.00	38,760.00		123,330.00
1978					6,240.00	12,705.00	36,720.00		111,815.00
1979					5,280.00	10,890.00	34,680.00		100,450.00
1980					4,320.00	9,075.00	32,640.00		89,435.00
1981					3,360.00	7,260.00	30,600.00		78,420.00
1982					2,400.00	5,445.00	28,560.00		67,405.00
1983					1,440.00	3,630.00	26,520.00		56,390.00
1984					480.00	1,815.00	24,480.00		45,375.00
1985							22,440.00		34,840.00
1986							20,400.00		26,600.00
1987							18,360.00		18,360.00
1988							16,320.00		16,320.00
1989							14,280.00		14,280.00
1990							12,240.00		12,240.00
1991							10,200.00		10,200.00
1992							8,160.00		8,160.00
1993							6,120.00		6,120.00
1994							4,080.00		4,080.00
1995							2,040.00		2,040.00
	$ 775.32	$ 61,740.00	$ 28,118.75	$ 680.00	$142,640.00	$ 278,190.00	$ 828,240.00	$ 3,060.00	$2,589,898.37

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION
BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS
State Office Building, Government Center
100 Cambridge Street, Boston 02202

January 24, 1968

Cleo F. Jaillet
Commissioner

Arthur H. MacKinnon
Director of Accounts

To the Mayor and Selectmen
Board of Assessors
Accounting Officer
Finance Committee
Treasurer

In accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 23, as amended, I hereby certify that the amount of available funds or "free cash" as of January 1, 1968 for the Town of Billerica is $522,524.77.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR H. MacKINNON,
Director of Accounts

Annual Report

of the

School Committee

of the

Town of Billerica

For the Year Ending December 31

1967

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

John T. Glavin, Chairman	Term Expires 1970
Andrew T. Card, Vice Chairman	Term Expires 1969
Robert F. Loranger, Secretary	Term Expires 1969
Irving Folk	Term Expires 1968
Paul J. Heffernan	Term Expires 1968

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Frederick C. Riel	Telephone 663-4714
Office: Administration Building	Telephone 663-4612
390 Boston Road	667-9811

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

William H. Flaherty, Jr.	Telephone 933-4157
Office: Administration Building	Telephone 663-4612
390 Boston Road	667-9811

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

F. Lester Shaughnessey	Telephone 667-1567
Office: Memorial High School	Telephone 663-4274

CALENDAR FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1967-68

Wednesday, September 6	Schools open
Thursday, October 12 - Columbus Day	Schools closed
Wednesday, November 8 - Teachers' Convention	Schools closed
Wednesday, November 22	Schools close at noon
Friday, December 22	Schools close at noon
Tuesday, January 2	Schools re-open
Week of February 18	Schools closed
Friday, April 12	Schools closed
Week of April 14	Schools closed
Thursday, May 30	Schools closed
Friday, May 31 - Memorial Day	Schools closed
Friday, June 21	All Schools close

SCHOOL CENSUS

(5-16 years) October 1, 1967

Not including pupils over 15 years of age

Number of children 5 or 6 years	634	591	1225
Number of children 7-15 years	2963	2688	5651
TOTALS	3597	3279	6876

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

No School Signal:

When it is necessary to close schools because of travel conditions, five radio stations — WHDH, WBZ, WLLH, WCAP and WNAC — will make the No School announcements starting at 6:00 a.m. or as near to that time as possible. The following telephone numbers may be called after 6:30 a.m. — 663-2065 or 663-4274.

Ordinarilly, schools will be closed only when travel conditions make it dangerous for pupils to ride on school buses. In the event of a cold, driving rain or other extreme condition, the parent may need to exercise judgment where the health of the child is involved because of distance, necessity of waiting in an exposed area for a bus, type of clothing worn, or other factors.

Because of emergencies, pupils are sometimes sent home early from schools. Parents should make arrangements with friends or neighbors to take care of the children when they come home.

Entrance Age:

For admission to the first grade in September 1968, a child must have been born on or before January 1, 1963. A birth certificate is required of all pupils unless their parents were residents of Billerica at the time of the children's births. Children entering the first grade will be admitted only during the month of September.

Every child entering the schools in any grade must present a certificate of successful vaccination, or a certificate of exemption, from a registered physician.

Employment Certificates:

Employment certificates (working cards) are issued at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Administration Building; Guidance Office, Memorial High School; Principal's Office, Howe Junior High School. Application must be made in person and a birth or baptismal certificate must be presented.

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE (As of October 1, 1967)

Grade		AGES 5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Total	
Spec.	B			1	1	5	7	3	3	3	11	7	1					42	
	G			1	4	1	4	3	3	3	1	1	0					21	63
1	B	97	387	59	1													544	
	G	96	356	25	4													481	1025
2	B		75	292	65	1	1											434	
	G		64	277	40	2	0											383	817
3	B			70	281	69	9											429	
	G			62	280	27	1											370	799
4	B				49	269	56	10	2									386	
	G				48	239	42	2	1									332	718
5	B					53	242	52	6	2								355	
	G					67	238	21	6	1								333	688
6	B						57	195	39	13	3							307	
	G						70	222	20	7	0							321	628
7	B							43	189	49	10	2						293	
	G							54	183	25	1	1						264	557
8	B							0	40	164	60	61						280	
	G							1	50	180	27	10						268	548
9	B									2	137	110	33	13	4			299	
	G									7	154	66	21	7	1			256	555
10	B										3	118	65	26	3	1		216	
	G										4	117	59	15	3	0		198	414
11	B											5	93	47	26	2	1	174	
	G											6	118	53	3	3	0	183	357
12	B												1	76	37	10	3	127	
	G												3	109	28	4	0	144	271
	B	97	462	422	397	397	372	303	279	233	224	258	193	162	70	13	4	3886	
	G	96	420	365	376	336	357	303	263	223	187	201	201	184	35	7	0	3554	7440

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Billerica:

Gentlemen:

I present herewith my tenth report as Superintendent of Schools of the Town of Billerica.

The School Committee has held almost weekly meetings this past year and many weeks two or three meetings. The business was dispatched with sincerity and a consciousness of the fact that upon the decisions dedended the educational opportunities and welfare of the boys and girls of Billerica. The Committee has been kept thoroughly informed regarding the problems of school administration. The board meetings are always conducted with business-like procedure. Opportunity is given for an adequate discussion of phases of school work and statistics concerning enrollment, finances, repairs, transportation, consolidation of classes, salary schedules, election of teachers, etc. to which the members lend their sympathy and cooperation and render valuable suggestions.

We are faced with the following critical issues at this time:

1. **Enrollment:** The enrollment continues to spiral upward at a frightening rate. The following chart will portray this clearly:

1961 — 4551 pupils
1966 — 6826 pupils
1967 — 7440 pupils

We had an increase of 614 pupils on October 1, 1967 over what we had on October 1, 1966. We have an increase of 2880 pupils since 1961.

Projecting the enrollment over the next three years from our known figures it appears that we will have the following pupils:

Projected Sept. 1968 — 8,176 pupils
Sept. 1969 — 9,137 pupils
Sept. 1970 — 10,088 pupils

2. **Buildings:**

(a) Present: We have built an addition to the Junior High School consisting of 14 classrooms, two home economic rooms, one shop and two gymnasiums; we have built an 18 room school (Dutile) and a 24 room school (Kennedy) during this time span. We have also added one room to Ditson School, one room to Talbot School, one room to Parker School and one room at Dutile School, 11 rooms at Howe Junior High and 19 rooms at the high school by converting part of the cafeterias, storage areas, gyms, etc.

We are also utilizing the remedial reading room and library at Dutile and Kennedy Schools as classrooms and the cafeteria and auditorium at High School as study halls.

(b) Future:

1. The Locke Junior High is scheduled to be ready for Sept. 1, 1968. This school is built to accommodate 1000 pupils, but we will have

to house over 1200 pupils immediately in this building. If it is not ready we will have to go double sessions.

2. An elementary school off Rogers Street is now on the drawing board. If this school is not ready for Sept. 1969 we will have to go double sessions.

3. Immediate plans for another junior high school should be formulated for Sept. 1970.

4. If enrollment continues to spiral the need for a new elementary school each succeeding year is apparent.

3. **New Laws:**

(a) Compulsory kindergarten classes become mandatory in 1973. This will necessitate 28 additional rooms.

(b) Much pressure is now being exerted for quality education. There is a great possibility of a law being passed to permit no more than 28-1 ratio of pupil to teacher in elementary grades and 17-1 ratio in secondary grades.

4. **Pupil-Teacher Ratio:**

Our teachers are to be congratulated on the fine teaching job they are doing under trying conditions. Our elementary grades average a pupil-teacher ratio of 34-1 up to 38-1. This is extremely high, especially when a 25-1 ratio is usually set for Grade One.

5. **Teachers:**

We will need 40 additional teachers for Sept. 1968. This will make a total of 351 teachers. Add to this the replacements necessary because of resignations, retirements and death, the superintendent must recruit 65 teachers. Competition for teachers is extremely great.

6. **Plans for Pupil Distribution:**

On Sept. 1, 1968 all grades 6, 7, 8, 9, will be housed in Howe Junior High and Locke Junior High. Grades 10-12 in Billerica Memorial High.

It is difficult to give a complete report of the story of our schools in any one report. The accomplishments in 1967 alone would consitute a many page report.

I would like to point out that education is not apart from life; it is just the adult generation giving its own world to the new generation. And be sure the adult generation will not give a very different world from that in which itself lives. The adult generation cannot keep its own private evils, traditions, greeds, autocracies, shams, follies and insincerities, and ask the school, working in the midst of these effective influences, to produce a new generation committed to good, to science, to altruism, to democracy, to honesty, to wisdom and to sincerity. The democratic problem in education is not primarily a problem of training children; it is the problem of making a community within which children cannot help growing up to be democratic, intelligent, disciplined to freedom, reverent of the good of life, and eager to share in the tasks of the age. A school cannot produce this result; nothing but a community can do so.

I want to thank you for the complete confidence, encouragement, and understanding directed toward the entire school staff.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK C. RIEL
Superintendent of Schools

BILLERICA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Enrollment — October 1, 1967

Grades	High	Jr. High	Kennedy	Ditson	Parker	Pollard	Talbot	Dutile	Vining	J. H. Elem.	Totals
12	271										271
11	357										357
10	414										414
9	555										555
8		548									548
7		557									557
6			103	72				106	72	275	628
5			99	110	145	104		122	108		688
4			136	110	111	113	30	105	113		718
3			165	127	156		132	120	99		799
2			166	135	175		130	99	112		817
1			206	173	215		158	143	130		1025
Sp. Cl.		63									
Total	1597	1168	875	727	802	217	450	695	634	275	7440

Recapitulation:	1966	1967
High	1475	1597
Junior High	1100	1168
Elementary	4251	4675
Total	6826	7440

RESIGNATIONS

Mitchell L. Afrow
Dolores M. Ahern
James M. Anderson
Ruth H. Benstead
Margie Brazile
Daniel T. Buckley, Jr.
Mary A. Caldicott
Margaret E. Callahan
Claire Chillemi
Margaret M. Clune
Mary Janet Collins
Paula Craven
Nancy S. Deachman
Roberta M. DeGrinney
Marguerite DelVisco
Mary Ann DiMattio
Phyllis Drescher
Beverly Feinberg
Denise Fitzpatrick
Mary E. Foley
Donald R. Fraser
Ernest L. Freeman
Leonard J. Gebhard
Linda A. Gilfillan
Barbara K. Gray
Margaret R. Harding
Suzanne J. Kalber
Alice Kefelas
David Kontoff
Judith Lee
Diane H. Lewis
Peter Maguire
Ralph Mahaires
Marilyn Mincey
David Moore
David F. Morrissey
Robert G. Mullarky
Patricia E. O'Neil
Robert Papera
Emile J. Pappazisis
Raoul H. Pich, Jr.
Gail Pruter
Margaret Rabinovitz
Dianna B. Rizzo
Mollie A. Rubenstein
Margaret Rupp
Thomas J. Sheehan
Barbara Ann Sides
Leonard K. Smith
Peter K. Swett
Karen Tallmadge
Herbert L. Vrettos
Carolyn M. Wicher
Xandra Winnis
John E. Young, Jr.
Marie Zamanakos
Susan K. Zemelman
Jane M. Zinober

Reasons for Resignations

30 - Another position
1 - Further study
13 - Maternity
4 - Moved out of State
2 - Overseas teaching
3 - Another field
2 - Illness
3 - Other

APPOINTMENTS

Rhoda Adelman
Richard Alves
Susanne E. Ambrose
James M. Anderson
Edward C. Astrachan
Amelia H. Bettano
Paulette E. Binder
Marcia A. Bjork
Stephen A. Block
Phyllis Block
Linda H. Borland
Leland R. Brennan, Jr.
Judith M. Brown
Miriam J. Buckley
Suzanne M. Burns
Richard E. Burrows
Martha J. Buzzell
Ann T. Ciriello
Robert J. Coates
John F. Connolly
Rosalie A. Denise
Angeline E. DiMatteo
Mary Ann DiMattio
Susan DiNunzio
Robert A. DiPalma
Jean M. Doherty
Paul F. Doherty
Margaret R. Donovan
Reid R. Dowlen
Susan P. Doyle
Michael Driscoll
Maryjane Flagg
Linda M. Fleming
Pamela L. Gallant
Rudolph J. Gentile
Ellen Grey
Joseph E. Hagen
James V. Hanlon
Albert J. Harrington
Charles W. Hill
Gloria Hill
Barbara Ann Hosmer
Aurelie Houle
Donald C. Hovasse
Jeanne M. Hunter
Dorothy M. Hynes
Linda E. Jones
Louisa W. Jordan
Sylvia Kleban
John C. Krane
Ann B. Levine
John M. Lucier
Thomas A. Malloy, III
Peter R. Markham
Edna N. M. Mathieu
Kathleen T. McDonough
Maura A. McKinley
Michael E. McLaughlin
Mary R. Meagher
Justyne A. Metrick
Walter L. Nelson
Theodora J. Paczkowski
Loretta Parent
Katherine M. Parker
Shirley H. Pearlman
Margaret M. Phelan
Donald A. Pofcher
Linda Pope
Susan R. Rotellini
Sandra Rush
Beverly T. Ryan
Jeanne P. Sasso
Ralph J. Sabatino
Susanne M. Scott
Linda D. Seidler
Barbara A. Sigel
Edmund J. Silvestri
Linda L. Strazzulla
Peter K. Swett
Karen Tallmadge
James D. Taylor, Jr.
Brenda Tocman
Sheila E. Welch
Judith L. White
Zandra Winnis
Andrea Zigarm

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

James F. Fournier, Jr.	High School	
Rudolph L. Laine	High School	Military
Peter R. Markham	High School	Military
Michael E. McLaughlin	High School	Military

BILLERICA MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

The enrollment of Memorial High School is presently 1,565 students in grades 9 through 12 in a building originally intended to effectively house a maximum of 1000 students. While no exterior expansion has been provided, new teaching stations have been created to absorb the enrollment figure for this year. Specifically, no less than 23 teaching stations, equipped and staffed as required since 1955, represent an interior expansion program designed to meet the educational requirements of the town at a minimal cost to the taxpayer. At the end of the 1966-67 school year two art rooms were relocated in what was previously a storage area, and three formal teaching stations now exist in what was formerly the boys' locker room. These rooms are operating at peak capacity and are entirely satisfactory. Despite the annual innovations it is necessary to schedule study periods within the cafeteria during all periods excepting the lunch shift when they are scheduled in the lobby.

In the various subject disciplines every effort is expended on the part of the faculty to adjust the instructional techniques to the ability of the student. Obviously, the method of instructing the college-bound student in English varies from that employed for the terminal student and the student who has indicated that he will not be exposed to the competitive disciplines at the university level of preparation. Hence, the distinguishing feature of instructional methods is the emphasis on various units within a specific subject as determined by the abilities of the students in the subject. In all departments there remains one basic philosophy: improve the students' knowledge to the highest degree attainable regardless of his entering level of comprehension.

A new unit in Civil Defense is now taught by the Social Studies Department and financed totally by the United States Department of Education. This unit entails an overview of national civil defense with specific attention to modern weapons, radioactive fallout, warning procedures, communications and the use of community and home shelters. Representative students participated in the New England Foreign Policy for Youth Conference sponsored by the United States Department of State as well as the model United Nations at Harvard University sponsored by the Harvard-Radcliffe International Relations Council.

The Mathematics Department has accepted the challenge of participating in the computer instructional program and teachers are currently involved in serious research concerning the expected addition of a new course in computer science which requires the implementation of the projects' objectives of bridging the gulf between the reality of dynamic and continuous changes in technological techniques and effective classroom instruction.

We are justifiably proud of the results of our annual science fair since of the five representatives of our school selected for the regional fair at Lowell Technological Institute all received awards in recognition of commendable scientific achievement including two gold medal winners. One of these five students received the highest award at this fair and represented our region at the National Science Fair at San Francisco. Three of our five students at Technorama were in the first fifteen places of a total number of 123 science fair participants from all the secondary schools of the area.

In the Foreign Lauguage Department, the majority of older texts in both French and Spanish have been replaced by modern texts to conform with the present trend of employing the aural-oral instructional approach. Most of these texts are supplemented by tapes for language laboratory work. Many classes are using the laboratory extensively and an adequate number of tapes has been provided for classes in German. Our program now includes A-LM classes in French I and II and in Spanish I, II, and III, the third A-LM third year class created in September 1967. In most of the other modern foreign language classes, i.e., French III and IV and Spanish IV, a combination of the traditional approach and the aural-oral instructional approach is used. Students are grouped. where possible, according to ability and previous achievement. With the present arrangement we feel that we are meeting the needs of those students who are preparing for fluency in a foreign language as well as those who desire credit for college acceptance.

A new duplicator, two ten-key calculators, and one full-bank adding machine have been purchased for the office practice room in keeping with our aim to modernize the Business Department. This business instructional area has also been partially equipped with office-style desks and chairs. We have endeavored to retain an "E" grouping in the Stenography II and Bookkeeping classes which has proven to be an excellent policy as most of the girls in the Stenography II group were vocationally placed prior to graduation last June.

In closing, I wish to express my appreciation to you and Mr. Flaherty for your assistance and cooperation; to Mr. Archambault and Mr. O'Brien, who continue to perform creditably the varied and frequently difficult duties concomitant with their responsibilities as vice-principals; to Mrs. Currie and Mrs. Walsh, who, as high school secretaries have few peers; and to the faculty, a competent and highly skilled group of teachers whose daily efforts provide the true education experiences for the youth of Billerica.

Respectfully submitted,

J. DAVID NUTTALL
Principal

HOWE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

Eight additional rooms have been made available in the Howe Junior High School building, four on the auditorium floor and four in the balconies.

There are six lunch shifts instead of four as in the past few years.

Many books have been added to the Library which is under the supervision of a full time librarian.

The eye and ear testing program is again being carried out successfully.

The developmental reading teacher is working with students to speed up their rate of reading and comprehension.

Sixty pupils are enrolled in Latin and 330 in French.

The special classrooms have been increased to six.

A registered nurse is on part time duty. With the enrollment as stated below there should be a trained member of the profession on full time duty.

The Howe Junior High has 49 full time members on its staff, 5 part time members and an enrollment of 1,100 pupils. Also in the building are 278 Grade Six pupils and 66 special class pupils.

At the present, as in the past, it has been a pleasure to have in the building the Howe Junior High Elementary principal and his staff, and also the principal of the special class division with her staff.

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL S. ADAMS
Principal

JUNIOR HIGH ELEMENTARY SECTION

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

In September of 1967, the Howe Elementary Division opened its doors to a renovated section of the Howe Junior High School. The auditorium with its stage and balcony had been transformed into brightly painted classrooms complete with new ceilings, lighting, ventilation, and furniture.

We had also grown from six classes in 1966-1967 to eight classes in 1967-1968 with a total enrollment of 278 pupils, averaging 34.75 students per class. Only 14.7% of our students walk to school, while 85.3% are transported from other areas of the town.

Since one teacher had left during the year we complimented our faculty with three new teachers.

Once again this year we hope to participate in the skating program at the Forum under the auspices of the Physical Education Department, and we hope to repeat a trip to Sturbridge Village.

Our library facilities have been expanded. Many new books have been added for the use of pupils and teachers. We expect to put to good use our new audio-visual equipment, including a slide projector, movie projector, E.D.L. reading projector, stereo-phonograph, and tape recorder.

Again we extend our sincere thanks to all who have made our occupancy at the Junior High School so pleasant.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW A. MOUNTAIN
Principal

POLLARD SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report for the Pollard School for the year 1967.

The Pollard School houses three fourth grade classes and three fifth grade classes with a total enrollment of 214 pupils. We transport 95% of our pupils from the North Billerica area.

Last summer we had the interior and the exterior of the building painted. Some landscaping was done to the front entrance and new window shades were recently installed throughout the building.

An Open House was held at the Pollard School on November 28. We were pleased to have 120 parents attend this educational function.

Our library facilities have been considerably expanded. We have over 500 volumes and a school librarian providing services one day each week. The Physical Education, Music, Remedial Reading, and Art programs are progressing very well indeed. The student teachers of music from Lowell State College are an asset to our instructional program.

We are fortunate to have received from "Government Titles" much audio-visual and reference equipment. The departmentalizing of our fourth grade reading program has been most successful and we shall continue the flexible scheduling.

Our pupils were most generous in supporting such worthwhile projects as the March of Dimes Campaign.

I wish to express my appreciation to you, the School Committee, and all others for furthering our educational program during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

NEIL F. RESTANI
Principal

PARKER SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

Now that we have twenty-three classrooms our enrollment usually totals about eight hundred (800) students each month. The average distribution of children by grades is as follows:

Grade 1	210 Students	6 Classrooms
Grade 2	175 Students	5 Classrooms
Grade 3	160 Students	5 Classrooms
Grade 4	108 Students	3 Classrooms
Grade 5	145 Students	4 Classrooms

As in the past, our parents have been invited to arrange for private conferences concerning their children on any afternoon beginning Monday through Thursday from 2:00 P.M. to 2:30 P.M. To further home-school cooperation for each child having academic difficulty midway through each of the four marking periods, any child showing indications of possible approching failure in any given subject is asked to present his parent with a written warning notice which must be signed and returned. To encourage general excellence in Conduct and Effort, both of which are usually necessary for scholastic success, we have continued our Honor Roll published in the local newspapers and on our school bulletin board.

Our children do so enjoy the privilege of borrowing the library books provided for them each week through the facilities of our recent Elementary School Library Department in addition to the enrichment reading in the classrooms. Films, rented at low cost from the State Department of Education, and the instructional visual-aids now ready to be circulated among our schools by the Librarian most certainly are a valuable asset to our curriculum.

With the specialized help which our Speech Therapists offer to those children having speech problems, Reading Assistants to give help in reading problems, Guidance Counselors on the Elementary Level to help children with emotional problems, instrumental lessons offered to interested students in Grades 4 and 5, it would seem that Billerica can feel proud that it is continuously adding much each year to the educational advantages for the boys and girls of our school.

My deep respect for the cooperation of the faculty and personnel whom you selected to serve with me, and for the continuous guidance offered to me by you, and Mr. Flaherty.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. GILL
Principal

JOHN F. KENNEDY SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit the annual report for the John F. Kennedy School.

Due to the rapid development of the area, enrollment has increased to such a degree it became necessary to transfer fourth, fifth and sixth graders from the Tercentennial area to center schools. Despite these transfers, membership increased from 820 on December 1st, 1966 to 880 on December 1st, 1967 and has necessitated the use of the library as a third grade classroom.

Grade membership as of December, 1967 follows:

Grade	Pupils	Number of Classes
1	204	6
2	171	5
3	164	5
4	137	4
5	102	3
6	102	3
Total	880	26

Of this total, 88% of the students are transported by eleven buses.

One section of the library has been retained with library facilities available to the children. Educational film strips and reels are now available through the library department under the direction of Mr. George Hickey.

The Economy Reading Program, based on a phonetic approach, has been extended to Grade 2 this year, and is proving to be most successful in developing skills and proficiency in the reading program. For extra help in this basic subject, a Remedial Reading teacher, Mrs. Alma MacDonald has been added to the faculty on a full time basis.

Special services provided for the students include musical instrument lessons in Grades 4, 5, and 6, chorus, creative art, speech therapy, and guidance. Skating lessons for sixth graders are included in the Physical Education program.

Visual Aids play an important role in education today and we are fortunate to have overhead and opaque projectors, tape recorders, controlled reader, tachistoscope, and transparency maker to aid in the educational development of the students.

The operetta for the year, "Cowboy on the Moon" was presented by the students under the direction of Mrs. Smith and was most enthusiastically received by the audience of parents and friends.

Parents are to be commended for their interest and cooperation proven by the attendance of over 500 at our Open House.

We are sincerely grateful to them, to the Castlewood East Association for their generous gift of additional films for our Controlled Reading

Machine, to the non-teaching personnel, the School Administration, and the School and Building Committees for their continuous assistance and support.

Respectfully submitted,
CATHERINE L. TORRE
Principal

FREDERICK J. DUTILE SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts
Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my principal's report for the Frederick J. Dutile School for the year 1967.

Our total enrollment as of December 31, 1967 was as follows:

Grade 1	— 147	in 4 classrooms
Grade 2	— 101	in 3 classrooms
Grade 3	— 117	in 4 classrooms
Grade 4	— 106	in 3 classrooms
Grade 5	— 128	in 4 classrooms
Grade 6	— 106	in 3 classrooms
Total	705	in 21 classrooms

For the first time since the Dutile School opened in March of 1965, we have exceeded the 700 pupil mark in a building constructed for a maximum enrollment of 630 children in 18 classrooms. To provide for this increase, we have had to convert another room, our large storage room to a fifth grade classroom. This room houses 29 children from the Rio Vista area, not usually assigned to the Dutile School. Mrs. Kathleen Flynn, who came to us from the Bridgewater Schools, teaches this fifth grade.

We have had two other changes on our faculty. Miss Maria Zamanakos was elected to a position in the Lowell School System. Mrs. Karen Tallmadge moved to Denver, Colorado. Filling these two vacancies are Miss Judith White, Grade 2, and Miss Suzanne Burns, Grade 3.

A beautiful holiday play, "The Fantasy of the Holiday Spirit," was staged at the Billerica Memorial High School, December 21, 1967, by all our fifth grade students. Under the guidance of their teachers, the children wrote the play, designed and painted the scenery. Mr. Morell and Miss Scott of the Music Department assisted in the production of holiday songs and dances.

We have carried our grade three pilot program in linguistics into grade four to give us a better comparative picture of the linguistic versus the traditional approach to the teaching of language.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Flaherty, the School Committee Members, my faculty and staff, for all the kind cooperation, assistance and support which has been afforded me.

Respectfully submitted,
ELIZABETH McCARTHY, Ed.D.
Principal

DITSON SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Ditson School for the year 1967. The enrollment as of December 1967 was as follows:

Grade	Pupils	No. of Classrooms	Ave. No. of Pupils per Room
1	172	5	34.40
2	135	4	33.75
3	125	4	31.25
4	106	3	35.33
5	117	3	39.00
6	72	2	36.00
Total	727	21	34.95

The enrollment this year shows a sizeable increase over last year. We have eighty-five more pupils than last year. An additional first grade was necessary in order to accommodate all the children of this grade. To prevent overcrowded conditions in grade six it was necessary to transfer thirty students to the Junior High School Elementary Section. Ten students from grade five were also transferred to the Vining School.

On November 16, a fire started in the lighting fixtures of the Cafeteria. Fortunately, there was no school that day because of inclement weather. The fire caused extensive damage to the Cafeteria, the Nurse's Room, the Secretary's Office, and two third grade classrooms.

I sincerely thank the school and town officials, the Faculty, and the non-teaching personnel for their assistance during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS X. CALLAHAN
Principal

TALBOT SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Talbot School for the year 1967.

The following shows the enrollment by grades as of October 1, 1967.

Grade	Pupils 1967	No. of Classrooms 1967	Pupils 1966	No. of Classrooms 1966
1	158	5	135	4
2	130	4	135	4
3	132	4	123	4
4	30	1	25	1
	450	14	418	13

The increase shown above is due to the large enrollment of first grade pupils, thus another first grade room was added this year. As there was a large basement room in the main building which had been in use for remedial work that was converted into a classroom which the fourth grade now occupies. There has been a constant growth in the enrollment since September.

This past summer the rooms and corridors of the entire building were painted, the lunchroom being the only room not done. In the auditorium floor tiles were laid thus making the floor more attractive and easy to clean and maintain.

The two teachers new to the Talbot School faculty are Mrs. Judith Brown and Miss Linda Strazzulla. Mrs. Brown is a first grade teacher and a graduate of the University of Massachusetts. Miss Strazzulla is a third grade teacher and a graduate of Boston University. She replaced a teacher who resigned from teaching.

The following shows the number of pupils who are transported.

Grade	Berwick	Pollard St.	Hillcrest	Oak	Total
1	26	24	15	15	80
2	15	21	20	18	74
3	21	26	17	13	77
	62	71	52	46	231

As shown above, more than half the pupils are transported by bus. Our fourth grade is made up wholly of pupils who walk to school.

This year the second grades continued with the phonetic reading which the pupils had in Grade 1 — Phonetic Keys to Reading by the Economy Co. The teachers are very much satisfied with the progress being made and will be anxious to compare results after testing.

The Talbot School once again was included in the student training program for the music students from Lowell State College. Three students were sent each semester and six classrooms were used.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to you, the School Committee, the Faculty, and all others for the fine cooperation given during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

IDA M. TOBEY
Principal

EUGENE C. VINING SCHOOL

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts
Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit the report of the Eugene C. Vining School for the year 1967.

On September 6th, an opening day enrollment soared to 631 pupils. This was an increase of 32 pupils over the previous year. To equalize each class enrollment, it was necessary to make transfers at various grade levels. These transfers numbered 82 pupils involving the Parker, Ditson and Howe Junior High Elementary Schools. Thirty-eight percent of our total enrollment is transported.

There were many changes in the teaching staff: Grade One, Miss Linda Jones and Miss M. Rita Donovan; Grade Two, Miss Barbara Sigel; Grade Three, Mrs. Phyllis Block and Mrs. Ellen Grey; Grade Four, Mrs. Rosalie Denise and Mrs. Marguerite Donovan; Grade Five, Mrs. Ann Levine and Miss Geraldine Greene, who previously taught Grade Six. Mrs. Elsie Miller was assigned as a Reading Teacher. We also welcomed our School Librarian, Mrs. Shirley Pearlman.

Vining School had the honor of being chosen to participate in the State Department of Education's Spring Workshop held at Lowell State Teachers' College on April 6th. The purpose of this program was to demonstrate the place of the humanities in the elementary school curriculum. The fifth grade of Vining School presented **Backgrounds of Americana.** Art, music, social studies and language arts of the fifth grade curriculum were interwoven into an exciting unit. The children's work was well received by an audience of over three hundred fifty educators.

As always, Open House, held on November 28th, was most successful as sixty-two percent of our children were represented by parental visitation.

On Tuesday, December 12th, the third graders attended the Lowell State College Theater to see the **Nutcracker Suite.** The children were quite familiar with the musical score, and seeing the production of it helped strengthen their mental images of the characters and helped to relate different musical sounds to characters and scenes in the story. Thus, such a trip made them more aware and appreciative of the creative arts — an essential part in their total education.

Through the services of the Billerica Library, the boys and girls saw two films on December 22nd as a part of their Christmas festivities. Films shown were **The Animal's Christmas** for the primary grade children and **The Story of Silent Night** for the intermediate grade children.

My sincere appreciation is expressed to you, the school committee, the teaching and non-teaching personnel and the many people who have extended their cooperation and encouragement throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
K. SHIRLEY COWDREY
Principal

ART EDUCATION

Mr. Frederick C. Riel

Superintendent of Schools

Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

At the conclusion of 1967 it is gratifying to submit the following report of the progress of Art Education in the Billerica Schools.

The Art Education Department is now set up as follows:

COORDINATOR OF ART EDUCATION — In charge of entire Program:

High School: Teachers (2)

Courses:

Fine Art Major
Advanced Art
Elementary Art
(Crafts included in above)

Junior High: Teachers (2)

Courses:

General Art — Grades 7 and 8
Humanities — Grade 7 (1 class)
Activity Art — Educable and Trainable (6 classes)

Elementary Art Education: Teachers (3)

Comprehensive Art Curriculum — Grades 1 through 6

It should be noted here that we are now assisting in the area of Educable and Trainable children, with the Junior High Art Teachers being assigned to these classes this year.

The enrollment in Art Classes is as follows:

High School:

Fine Art Major — 73 students (5 periods per week)
Advanced Art — 44 students (3 periods per week)
Elementary Art — 104 students (2 periods per week)

Junior High School:

Grade 7 and 3 — Required — 1171 students
Educable and Trainable — 65 students
Humanities — 32 students

Elementary Grades:

Grades 1 through 6 — 4669 pupils
Classroom teachers assisted in Art — 138

The Art Education Curriculum is now being studied and coordinated to assure a progression of development in all areas. This includes especially; Drawing, Painting, Modeling and Sculpture, Crafts, Manipulation of many varied materials, Graphics, and the History and Appreciation of Art. Our purpose is to integrate Grades 1 through 12 in a strong, mean-

ingful program of Art Education, which stresses Creativity, Development of Ideas, Study and Research in Art.

During this year the Art Education Curriculum has been immeasurably strengthened through the assistance of the Director of School Libraries in the purchasing of high quality visual aids to assist us in the teaching of Art Appreciation at all grade levels. This assistance has extended to films of technical nature as well as other teaching helps in the field of Art. Our School Libraries are now offering fine art books to our students for their enjoyment and study. This area of understanding the Arts is being developed carefully with the purpose of establishing an enriched cultural background for our students in the Billerica Schools.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN W. ROUX
Coordinator of Art Education

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

Due to the increased enrollment in the school system of Billerica, an additional teacher was added during 1967. The prospect of the opening of the new Junior High School coupled with the certain growth pattern of the town will mean additional facilities and personnel for next year. When the school opens, some of the over-loaded situations that exist now will be alleviated for a short period of time.

For the fourth consecutive year, the 6th grades of the Billerica School System have been able to enjoy, as part of the Physical Education Program, instruction in skating during the winter months of school at the Merrimack Forum.

A program supported by Federal Funds for physical education is being given to special class students. Within the scope of the program is such activities as daily physical education consisting in part of skating, bowling, swimming and outside field trips. The rewards of such a program are unmatched by any other such venture.

Each year the School Committee attempts to equalize the physical plant and equipment of each school so that each child receives as full a physical education program as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE S. GRACIE
Physical Education Coordinator

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Music Department for 1967.

We are still engaged in a cooperative plan of intern-teaching with the State College at Lowell under the guidance of Dr. William R. Fisher, Professor of Music Education, and the clinical professors Mr. Paul Gayzagian, Dr. Barbara Bennett and Mr. Robert White. All elementary schools are involved in this plan.

We have revised and evaluated our Music Curriculum to meet the new philosophy of Music Education in the modern school.

For the past two years we have been working on a study involving humanities in grade 7. This study was geared to the upper scholastic level. This year we are experimenting with an average group of students to see if this course of study will prove to be successful at this level. This class has been used to provide demonstrations for State Supervisors of Art and Music along with many interested supervisors and directors in nearby areas who are trying to develop a more meaningful, interesting curriculum.

Each year we give children in our elementary schools opportunities to participate in operettas, culminating activities and festivals in and out of our school system.

Our instrumental program has over 400 children involved. We have a large High School band and a larger Junior High School band. These units have participated in all the State functions. In fact, we have people chosen for the All-State Band this year. The band has participated in exchange concerts and many of our own public and civic functions. This year the school committee purchased attractive and colorful new uniforms for our band and twirlers. They now make a striking appearance.

In an effort to offer the children a well-rounded program with many valuable music experiences through which we hope to develop a love, appreciation and understanding of the fine arts, we have added two music instructors, Miss Suzanne Scott and Mr. Rudolph Gentile, which addition brings our staff to nine members.

At this time we wish to express our thanks to our Superintendent, our Asst. Superintendent, our Principals, Teachers and all school personnel without whose wholehearted cooperation this program would not be possible.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. JOHNSON
Music Co-ordinator

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

Another year has passed and we find the same conditions continuing. The Howe Junior High School counselors are faced with 1099 and the High School counselors with 1570. It is still an impossibility for the counselors to see every student.

In Howe Junior High School we still have two counselors and in Billerica Memorial High School we have added one counselor so that each grade will be serviced. However, the pupil-couselor ratio of 350, accepted by the State Department of Education, cannot be fulfilled. Required annual interviews still cannot be realized because of the counselors' involvement of exceptional and personal problems.

A new counselor has been appointed to the elementary area. It appears to be formidable job for this new-comer when one realizes that there are 4676 in the grammar schools-entire.

We have a School Psychologist who is responsible for individual testing on an individual basis. These testees are referred to him by the teachers via the principals. Both the School Phychologist and the Elementary Counselor work very closely with the parents of the referred students.

It was hoped last year that groups of students would meet to motivate their future education vocations, to discuss study habits, grades and good citizenship but again we find the lack of space as being inhibative of this practice.

Concerning the Billerica Schools Testing Program, in the Spring of 1967 the time schedule for administration of the Reading Readiness Test was rearranged. It was noted that the fall results of the Reading Readiness Test was too late for its use as a yardstick for group placement of first graders. In the Spring of 1967 some of the Reading Readiness Tests were given to students in the kindergartens of the Town, and the remainder was administered to pre-school children in the public schools.

May I take the liberty of repeating the last paragraph of last year's Annual Report in order, that the dire necessity for consideration of our recommendations may be emphasized.

Two recommendations stemming from a true need could be proposed . . . that each elementary school be assigned a guidance counselor, and that the high school guidance quarters be enlarged to include four offices, and a conference room.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN E. ADAMS
Director of Guidance

REPORT OF THE EVENING SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Mr. Frederick C. Riel
Superintendent of Schools
Billerica, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Riel:

I hereby submit my report of the Evening School Classes for the year 1967.

Classes are held at the Memorial High School Tuesday and Wednesday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. for a period of twenty weeks beginning the first week of October and closing the last week of March.

This year's enrollment has exceeded any of the past 13 years. Twenty courses make up the evening school program for 1967. These courses are:

2 - Beginning clothing
1 - Advanced clothing
1 - Tailoring
1 - Art - Painting
2 - Rug braiding
2 - Knitting
1 - Decorated ware
1 - Advanced decorated ware
2 - Woodworking
1 - Beginning typing
1 - Investment analysis
1 - Data processing I
1 - Key punch
1 - Basic computer programming
2 - Cake decorating and party refreshments

This is an increase of seven courses over last year. It is hoped that with the approval of the 1968 budget more courses will be added to the curriculum. Under the Vocational Education Act of 1963 for Business and Office Education we hope to obtain funds to further our Data Processing courses and other Business courses next year.

We are attempting to extend our courses to include high school review academic courses leading to the taking of the high school equivalency exam for a State High School diploma. This particular area would be most beneficial for high school dropouts.

We are also attempting to initiate a program of study for men at the Billerica House of Correction. These courses would be of benefit to anyone who desired to take them. They would be offered on a purely voluntary basis to the inmates.

Registration for all courses is held each year at the Memorial High School, during the last week of September. The regular Evening School Program ends each year with the presentation of a fashion show and exhibit of the materials made by the members of the various classes.

Respectfully, submitted,
HOWARD R. GOODROW
Director

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1967

Appropriated	$3,057,186.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	5,121.34
Expended	3,060,317.18
Balance	1,990.16

REIMBURSEMENTS AND INCOME

From the Commonwealth:		
School Aid (Chapter 70)	$ 723,683.67	
Transportation	87,070.50	
Special Education	40,124.70	
State Wards - Tuition and Transportation	7,015.63	
Summer School Registration	3,077.00	
Rental, Industrial Arts, Miscellaneous	1,732.46	
Insurance Recovery	4,947.30	
Total Reimbursement 1967	867,831.26	

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Appropriation	11,000.00
Expended	19,917.61
Balance	82.39

FEDERAL AID

Balance, January 1, 1967 (P. L. 874)	23,050.45
Received in 1967	96,492.00
Amount available in 1967	119,542.45
Expended in 1967	112,413.16
Balance January 1, 1968	7,129.29
Balance, January 1, 1967 (P.L. 864)	834.80
Received in 1967	4,677.76
Amount available in 1967	5,512.56
Expended in 1967	0.00
Balance, January 1, 1968	5,512.56
Balance, January 1, 1967 (P. L. 88-210)	13.25
Received in 1967	4,846.00
Amount available in 1967	4,859.25
Expended in 1967	4,526.36
Balance, January 1, 1968	332.89
Balance, January 1, 1967 (P. L. 89-10)	24.45
Received in 1967	38,564.00

Amount available in 1967	38,588.45
Expended in 1967	32,527.03
Balance January 1, 1968	6,061.42

TRUST FUNDS

Available 1967	3,359.49
Expended 1967	0.00
Balance, January 1, 1968	3,359.49

REPORT OF SCHOOL DOCTORS

Pupils Examined in 1st, 4th, 9th, 11 and New Pupils	1463
Scoliosis	2
Enlarged Tonsils	38
Impetigo	4
Heart Murmurs	6
Multiple Carious Teeth	62
Diphtheria Innoculations and Tetanus	85
Physicals for Sports	322

Respectfully submitted,

ORLAND S. MARSHALL M.D.
HARRIET P. LEACH, M.D.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Number of Pupils Checked	7,260
Sickness	3,942
No Clothing	106
Missed Bus	1,402
Left Town	528
Left School	128
Working Without Certificate	4
Satisfactory Reasons	603
Unsatisfactory Reasons	580
Brought to School	424
Truants	906
Committed to Middlesex Training School	2
Referred to S.P.C.C.	2

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS L. SHAUGHNESSEY
Supervisor of Attendance

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSES

Class Inspection	Exclusions Recommended
Impetigo	42
Conjunctivitis	14
Pediculosis	52
Ringworm	10
Dogbites	24
Suspected Contagion	85
Pinkeye	14
Pupils Sent Home:	
Illness	2,245
Accidents	201
Pupils Taken Home:	
Illness	32
Accidents	47
First Aid	18,422
Pupils Sent Home:	
No Certificates After Contagious Disease	42
Home Visits	28
Referred to Family Physician	235
Referred to School Physician	106
Sent to Hospital	10
Consultations with State Personnel	6
Testing by Mrs. Harrington:	
Eyes Tested	6,751
Retested	606
Ears Tested	6,751
Retested	337
Tine Tests on 1st, 3rd, 6th, 9th, 12th grades and all Personnel	2,558

A complete health record is kept for each student. On each chart the following are recorded; current illness, injuries, physical disabilities, eye and ear tests, height and weight and any other pertinent information.

Eye and ear tests are given each year by Mrs. Harrington. Notices are sent to the parents of any child who fails either the eye or ear tests and quite frequently the need for the child to be seen by a Specialist has to be explained to the parent.

Heads are checked periodically in all schools.

Immunization clinics are organized and the doctors are assisted at these clinics and doing physical exams.

We do appreciate the cooperation we receive from the School Personnel throughout the school year.

Respectfully submitted,

RITA P. FREEMAN, R.N.
HELEN RYNNE, R.N.
EILEEN M. GRADY, R.N.
BLANCHE COLLINS, R.N.

BILLERICA MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 1967

Receipts

Appropriation	$ 26,750.00	
Basketball	130.00	
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1967	1,710.00	
Football	6,645.00	
Other	81.50	
Total Receipts		$ 35,316.50

Expenditures

Clean and Repair Equipment	$ 1,362.50	
New Equipment:		
Baseball	571.09	
Basketball	346.45	
Basketball (girls)	588.83	
Hockey	1,067.10	
Field Hockey	317.89	
Football	5,616.60	
Softball (girls)	255.99	
Cross Country, Track	1,640.21	
Wrestling	589.73	
Miscellaneous	3,870.80	
Pay Roll	3,497.50	
Transportation	2,611.90	
Chelmsford's 40% Share	1,503.00	
Total Expenditures		$ 23,839.59
Total Cash on Hand, Dec. 31, 1967		$ 11,476.91

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. HAYES
Faculty Manager

SCHOOL CAFETERIA

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR

ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1967

Cash Balance	$ 36,650.55	
Receipts		
Milk and Lunchroom Sales	$219,015.43	
Government Reimbursement	73,120.52	
Total Receipts		$328,786.50
Expenditures		
Food and Others	$199,132.72	
Labor	102,565.12	
Total Expenditures		$301,697.84
Cash Balance		$ 27,088.66
Unpaid December Bills		14,443.15
Working Balance		$ 12,645.51

In Service January 1968	Subject or Grade	Began Service	10-1-67 Enrollment
Mr. Frederick C. Riel	Superintendent	1958	
Mr. Wm. H. Flaherty, Jr.	Assistant Superintendent	1964	
MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL			
J. David Nuttall	Principal	1953	Gr. 9-555
Helen E. Adams	Head of Guidance Dept	1936	10-414
William E. Alcott	Biology	1960	11-357
William V. Archambault	Vice Principal	1964	12-271
Edward C. Astrachan	Guidance	1967	——
Donna M. Bakke	English	1966	1597
E. Ruth Belcher	French	1927	
Kathleen Breen	English	1966	
J. Raymond Brown	Guidance	1957	
Thelma L. Brown	Home Economics	1945	
Miriam J. Buckley	Math	1967	
Giorgio V. Carlino	Spanish	1964	
Margaret M. Cassin	English	1954	
Donald R. Clancy	Physics, Chemistry	1955	
Marjorie F. Cooney	Bookkeeping	1958	
Palmer G. Cox	Math	1964	
Peter J. Danas	Math	1960	
Angeline DiMatteo	Biology, Science	1967	
Mary Ann DiMatteo	Biology	1967	
Robert A. Finnegan	U.S. History, Civics	1962	
Peter G. Gabriel	Head of Science Dept.	1961	
Robert M. Gill	Head of Ind. Arts Dept.	1931	
Joseph F. Guinta	Off. Prac., Type	1956	
Howard R. Goodrow	Type	1965	
George H. Guenard	Science	1961	
Joseph E. Hagan	English, History	1967	
James F. Hanley	Latin, History	1966	
James V. Hanlon	English	1967	
John E. Hayes	Developmental Reading	1958	
Barbara L. Hood	Physical Education	1953	
Barbara Ann Hosmer	English	1967	
Gertrude Houghton	German, Spanish	1964	
Gerald E. Hunt	Automotive	1957	
Carl G. Jahnle	English	1965	
Isabel M. Jahnle	Steno., Sec. Prac.	1961	
Edwin G. Kagan	Math	1960	
John C. Krane	Mechanical Drawing	1967	
Arnold C. Rivela	Science	1967	
Charles H. Lampson	P.A.D.	1941	
Henry F. Billings	Civics	1967	

Thomas A. Malloy, III	World History, Civics	1967
Marco L. Marchi	Art	1960
Philip F. Markey	Science	1966
Peter R. Markham	Math	1966
Francis M. Martin	Latin	1961
Paula McCormack	English	1966
Joan L. McDuffie	Ancient History	1960
Frances M. McGee	U. S. History	1954
Maura A. McKinley	Math	1967
Michael E. McLaughlin	History	1967
Ora K. McLaughlin	Head of Math Dept.	1954
Arthur W. Merrifield	Head Foreign Languages	1950
Louise B. Messer	Head of Commercial Dept.	1955
Betsy S. Murray	Art	1966
Richard L. Myles	Math	1959
Leland R. Brennan, Jr.	Science	1967
John D. O'Brien	Vice Principal	1952
Theodora J. Paczkowski	English	1967
Geraldine Penney	Steno., Bookkeeping	1965
Jean R. Perron	Type, Bus. Law and Math	1962
Margaret M. Phelan	Bkkp., Steno., Type	1967
Arthur Podaras	Head of Eng. Department	1962
Bernard A. Ralph	Physical Education	1966
Dorothy A. Richardson	Bus. Arith.	1939
John J. Riley	English	1966
James J. Roach	Chemistry	1966
Sandra Rush	Math	1967
Ralph J. Sabatino	Perm. Sub.	1967
Roger Samson	Machine Shop	1957
Elma J. Sarkisian	Social Studies	1953
Mary C. Saunders	French, English	1949
Linda D. Seidler	English	1967
Sidney S. Sher	Head Soc. Studies Dept.	1954
David R. Snelson	English	1966
Ann M. Splaine	U. S. History	1957
Esther E. Splaine	Bookkeeping	1955
Ernest T. Vocell, Jr.	Perm. Sub.	1967
Paul L. Whitley	Biology	1966
Alfred E. Wilson	General Business	1963
Eunice Wilson	Guidance	1956
Rose J. Winters	Physical Education	1966
Andrea Zigarmi	Biology, Science	1967

HOWE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Royal S. Adams	Principal	1952	Gr 7-557
Charles L. Adams	Science	1963	Gr. 8-548
Thomas J. Agathopoulos	Shop	1963	Sp. Cl.-63
Brenda Ann Allen	French	1966	——
Richard Alves	English	1967	1168

Ralph H. Bibeau	Latin, English, Asst. Head	1964
Paulette E. Binder	Home Economics	1967
Stephen A. Block	Social Studies	1967
Andrew B. Brusko	Social Studies	1956
Robert J. Coates	Science	1967
Madalyn J. Condon	English, Asst. Dept. Head	1951
Lillian P. Dalton	Science	1961
Paul Doherty	Math	1967
Robert Donnelly	Shop	1966
Richard A. Donovan	Science, Asst. Dept. Head	1961
Michael Driscoll	English	1967
Richard E. Durgin	English	1964
Donald D. Fagan	Math	1966
Sheila E. Fagan	Math, Science	1966
William J. Flynn	English	1965
Barbara J. Smith	Math	1967
Roland H. Guthrie, Jr.	Physical Education	1965
Barbara A. Hehir	Art	1965
Charles W. Hill	Social Studies	1967
Gloria J. Hill	Math	1967
Phyllis V. Homer	English	1966
Raymond D. Homola	Science	1964
Donald C. Hovasse	English	1967
Dorothy M. Hynes	French	1967
Stanley C. Jekanoski, Jr.	Guidance	1962
Richard M. Loranger	Vice Principal	1956
Mary A. Marrone	English	1964
Rodney J. Morin	Math	1965
Paula J. Olsen	Home Economics	1965
Stephen V. Panos	Social Studies, Asst. Head	1956
Loretta Parent	Science	1967
Gerard A. Perry	Social Studies	1965
Donald A. Pofcher	Developmental Reading	1967
Suzan Redgate	Physical Education	1966
Charles S. Santagati, Jr.	Music	1961
Joseph A. Sarno	Guidance	1960
Philip A. Sartorelli	Social Studies	1965
Edmund J. Silvestri	Math	1967
Ann F. Sullivan	Social Studies	1961
Maureen Sullivan	Art	1962
Cynda Wade	English	1966
A. Eleanor Wain	Math, Asst. Dept. Head	1928
Thomas J. Walsh	Guidance	1960

SPECIAL CLASS TEACHERS

Mary M. Moran	Supervisor	1949
Arthur M. Johansen		1963
Ruth E. Renwick		1962
Brenda Tocman		1967
Maria Trombly		1962
Hazel E. Vernaglia		1966

SPECIAL SUBJECT TEACHERS

Susan E. Ambrose	Art	1967	
Linda H. Borland	Art	1967	
Walter L. Nelson, Jr.	Physical Education	1967	
Richard E. Barrows	Physical Education	1967	
Anita M. Ciarfella	Speech Hearing	1965	
Joseph J. DeLuca, Jr.	Inst. Music	1965	
John J. DiGloria	Inst. Music, Band	1960	
Jane A. Foley	Physical Education	1966	
Rudolph J. Gentile	Inst. Music	1967	
Albert J. Harrington	Physical Education	1967	
Edward D. James	Physical Education	1960	
Harriet B. Keefe	Remedial Reading	1965	
Estafaye Levine	Physical Education	1966	
Alma M. MacDonald	Remedial Reading	1965	
Mary R. Meagher	Art	1967	
Elsie M. Miller	Remedial Reading	1956	
Ronald L. Morrell	Music	1966	
Catherine M. Regan	Remedial Reading	1959	
Sheila Savitsky	Speech Hearing	1959	
Susanne M. Scott	Music	1967	
Shirley A. Smith	Music	1965	
James D. Taylor, Jr.	Music	1967	
Sylvia Kleban	Remedial Reading	1967	

POLLARD SCHOOL

Neil F. Restani	Principal, Grade 5	1961	36
Sally J. Burke	Grade 5	1958	35
Ann T. Ciriello	Grade 4	1967	38
John F. Connolly	Grade 4	1967	38
Robert A. DiPalma	Grade 4	1967	37
Darleen P. Williams	Grade 5	1965	33
			217

JUNIOR HIGH ELEMENTARY

Andrew A. Mountain	Principal, Grade 6	1962	34
Anthony J. Damiano	Grade 6	1966	34
Reid R. Dowlen	Grade 6	1967	34
William P. Downing	Grade 6	1966	35
John Lucier	Grade 6	1967	34
Susan R. Rotellini	Grade 6	1967	34
Edward D. Sorenson	Grade 6	1953	34
Nora E. Wold	Grade 6	1965	36
			275

PARKER SCHOOL

Mary E. Gill	Principal	1922	
Rhoda Adelman	Grade 4	1967	36

Paula Baker	Grade 3	1966	31
Grace Beaton	Grade 5	1965	37
Mildred B. Bohannon	Grade 2	1952	35
Ruth R. Brodeur	Grade 3	1950	32
Maryjane Flagg	Grade 1	1967	36
Linda M. Fleming	Grade 1	1967	35
Grace G. Gallagher	Grade 3	1956	30
Charles P. Gourlis	Grade 5	1966	36
Eleanor M. Hadley	Grade 3	1949	31
Jeanne M. Hunter	Grade 5	1967	36
Virginia A. Smith	Grade 1	1966	36
Albert C. Lefebvre	Grade 5, Asst. Principal	1965	36
Maureen C. McNiff	Grade 4	1965	37
Justyne A. Metrick	Grade 1	1967	36
Anna M. Mikkola	Grade 2	1953	35
Eleanor A. Murphy	Grade 2	1946	34
Beverly Ohanian	Grade 1	1965	36
Linda Pope	Grade 2	1967	36
Barbara A. Taranto	Grade 4	1965	38
Sheila E. Welch	Grade 3	1967	32
Helen F. Wesel	Grade 1	1963	36
Ruth G. Westcott	Grade 2	1928	35
			802

KENNEDY SCHOOL

Catherine L. Torre	Principal	1951	
Patricia Bennett	Grade 6	1966	34
Martha J. Buzzell	Grade 3	1967	33
Esther F. Charron	Grade 4	1961	34
Eleanor R. Clement	Grade 1	1955	33
Pauline B. Cole	Grade 1, Asst. Principal	1962	35
Mary L. Danahy	Grade 4	1954	34
Susan DiNunzio	Grade 3	1967	34
Susan P. Doyle	Grade 3	1967	32
Grace L. Finnegan	Grade 6	1927	35
Domenica A. Fiumara	Grade 2	1965	33
Pamela L. Gallant	Grade 2	1967	34
Angela Gianourakos	Grade 4	1965	34
Sue A. Bannister	Grade 1	1968	34
Charles W. Ingalls	Grade 6	1966	34
Louisa W. Jordan	Grade 1	1967	34
Catherine D. Lind	Grade 5	1964	33
Lucille R. Manoli	Grade 4	1962	34
Margaret I. Mason	Grade 3	1942	34
Louise M. McDonald	Grade 2	1965	33
Priscilla A. Morrison	Grade 1	1965	35
Sheila T. Murphy	Grade 5	1955	33
Mary Ellen Nessler	Grade 1	1966	35
Katherine M. Parker	Grade 3	1967	32

Kathleen T. Roche	Grade 2	1964	33
Frances A. Savage	Grade 5	1960	33
Mary Jean Wilson	Grade 2	1965	33
			875

DITSON SCHOOL

Francis X. Callehan	Principal	1960	
Amelia H. Bettano	Grade 3	1967	30
Marcia A. Bjork	Grade 2	1967	33
Jean Doherty	Grade 4	1967	37
Mary Fahey	Grade 1	1960	34
Eldora B. Ferren	Grade 1	1952	34
Patricia M. Gill	Grade 5	1964	37
Ruth A. Gordon	Grade 4	1965	37
Ann M. Hentz	Grade 3	1960	33
Aurelie Houle	Grade 2	1967	34
Regina M. Karnilla	Grade 6	1950	37
Deborah K. Leith	Grade 4	1966	36
Edna N. M. Mathieu	Grade 1	1967	35
Virginia Mayo	Grade 6	1954	35
Jane M. Zinober	Grade 3	1967	32
Paula Perry	Grade 3	1961	32
Beatrice F. Phillips	Remedial Reading	1955	
Mary V. Ramsey	Grade 2	1950	35
George A. Roach, Jr.	Grade 5	1962	37
Jeanne P. Sasso	Grade 1	1967	35
Elaine D. Shea	Grade 1	1962	35
Carol R. Stocks	Grade 2	1963	33
Milda M. Upley	Grade 5	1937	36
			727

TALBOT SCHOOL

Ida M. Tobey	Principal	1950	
Veronica M. Berry	Grade 3	1948	32
Evelyna A. Birtwell	Grade 1	1948	31
Judith M. Brown	Grade 1	1967	30
Catherine F. Burke	Grade 3, Asst. Principal	1949	33
Alice M. Condon	Grade 2	1926	32
Patricia Driscoll	Grade 2	1966	34
Carolyn F. Fowler	Grade 1	1966	32
Anna M. Hopkins	Grade 2	1955	31
Marianne Kloza	Grade 2	1964	33
Helen R. Lyons	Grade 1	1926	32
Mary H. McGowan	Grade 3	1954	33
Katherine McSweeney	Grade 4	1955	30
Eileen T. Sheehan	Grade 1	1963	33
Linda L. Strazzulla	Grade 3	1967	34
			450

COORDINATORS

George S. Gracie	Physical Education	1955	
Elizabeth L. Johnson	Music	1951	
Lillian W. Roux	Art	1937	

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

Charles L. Wilcox	Junior High	1964	

GUIDANCE—ELEMENTARY

Margaret M. Kennedy		1949	

VINING SCHOOL

K. Shirley Cowdrey	Principal	1947	
Mabel B. Angell	Grade 4	1959	37
Phyllis Block	Grade 3	1967	33
Rosalie Denise	Grade 4	1967	38
Margaret R. Donovan	Grade 1	1967	33
Marguerite Donovan	Grade 4	1966	38
Joan S. Finnegan	Grade 2	1962	33
Joseph T. Foley	Grade 6	1964	36
Geraldine M. Greene	Grade 5	1965	36
Ellen Grey	Grade 3	1967	33
Frank P. Horton	Grade 6	1961	36
Valerie Illingworth	Grade 2	1966	38
Linda J. Jones	Grade 1	1967	31
Mary P. Keaney	Grade 1	1953	34
Ann B. Levine	Grade 5	1967	36
Patricia E. Parks	Grade 2	1966	37
Barbara A. Sigel	Grade 2	1967	37
Nancy L. Smith	Grade 1	1962	32
Celeste Stuart	Grade 5, Asst. Principal	1960	36
			634

DUTILE SCHOOL

Elizabeth F. McCarthy	Principal	1940	
Kathleen Boutler	Grade 1	1966	36
Suzanne M. Burns	Grade 3	1967	35
Marguerite Buttrick	Grade 1	1966	35
Linda Collins	Grade 2	1966	33
Alice E. Fleming	Grade 6	1963	26
Philip B. Frank	Grade 4	1963	35
M. Patricia Gavel	Grade 4	1964	35
Pamela B. Giler	Grade 3	1965	31
Janet D. Heterick	Grade 3	1964	32
Louise S. Ladd	Grade 5	1966	31
Anthony G. LaRosa	Grade 6	1964	35
Esther Levesque	Grade 6, Asst. Principal	1958	35
Judith Madden	Grade 5	1966	31

Jane McCaffrey	Grade 1	1966	36
Kathleen Flynn	Grade 5	1967	29
Muriel Mendelson	Grade 2	1963	33
Catherine Mestemaker	Grade 1	1964	36
Mary Pittman	Grade 3	1964	32
Sebastian Sicari	Grade 5	1960	31
Anne Ventola	Grade 4	1963	35
Judith L. White	Grade 2	1967	33
			695
		TOTAL ENROLLMENT	7440

DIRECTOR OF LIBRARIES

George F. Hickey, Jr.	High School	1966

LIBRARIANS

Shirley H. Pearlman		1967
Beverly Tosi Ryan		1967

SCHOOL NURSES

Blanche V. Collins		1967
Rita P. Freeman		1947
Eileen M. Grady		1965
Helen K. Rynne		1954

DATA PROCESS DIRECTOR

Joseph J. Danahy	High School	1966

CLERKS

Helen W. Barton	Parker	1957
Mary F. Bourque	Kennedy	1966
Marjorie F. Currie	High School	1951
Susan E. Danehy	Junior High	1964
Beatrice L. Dole	Administration Building	1930
Phyllis R. Fraza	Junior High	1955
Mary Guillemette	Dutile	1955
Lucy A. Lyons	Administration Building	1955
Dorothy McDewell	Ditson	1965
Genevieve Mount	Guidance - High	1957
Rita Smith	Administration Building	1966
Hazel Tilton	Vining	1966
Elizabeth Walsh	High School	1957

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

F. Lester Shaughnessey	1947

VISION and HEARING TESTER

Elizabeth Harrington	1956

MATRONS		
Ruth Aliot		1960
Dorothy A. McKenna		1965
Ruth T. Nickerson		1967
CUSTODIANS		
Paul J. Allard	Talbot	1953
James R. Campbell	Vining	1963
Anthony E. Capaldo	Parker	1966
Clement J. Cote	Dutile	1957
Robert D. Crocket	Kennedy	1965
William F. Doherty	Parker	1965
Milton A. Farrell	Ditson	1963
Raymond A. Fraza	High	1948
Charles T. Gay	Ditson	1966
Robert P. Granfield	Talbot, Kennedy	1964
John P. Griffin	Dutile	1955
Donald W. Hamilton	Junior High	1961
Joseph G. Joncas, Jr.	Junior High	1963
Walter E. Larson	Pollard, Adm. Building	1957
John Mangiasi	Senior Bldg. Custodian	1950
John McLaughlin	Vining	1955
Daniel F. McLaughlin	High	1964
Fred L. Morgan	Junior High	1951
Thomas J. Mulligan	High	1953
Victor Terrazzano	High	1953
Frank C. Theodoropoulos	High	1966
George Tribuna	High	1955
Merle B. True	Junior High	1964
George J. Young	Kennedy	1964
Conrad L. Rock	Floater	1967
MAINTENANCE MEN		
Louis Ciccotelli, Jr.	Maintenance Man	1965
Maurice H. Grady	Maintenance Foreman	1947
Lawn A. Kiley	Maintenance Man	1957
Allen J. Metivier	Maintenance Man	1953
Harold A. Swift	Maintenance Man	1965
SCHOOL LUNCH SUPERVISOR		
Jane Hallenborg		1951
CAFETERIA WORKERS		
Lillian Rotellini	High School	1955
Bertha MacDonald	High School	1955
Mary Kelley	High School	1955
Marion Murphy	High School	1956
Everlena Stuart	High School	1960
Aretta Hartshorn	High School	1963
Josephine Reslow	Howe Junior High	1954
Amelia McLaughlin	Howe Junior High	1963

Mary McNulty	Howe Junior High	1963
Mary Whelan	Howe Junior High	1963
Adeline Taylor	Howe Junior High	1965
Catherine Mahoney	Howe Junior High	1966
Kathryn Strom	Howe Junior High	1957
Gertrude Gervais	Howe Junior High	1966
Louise Newcomb	Parker School	1957
Mary Reynolds	Parker School	1955
Evelyn Cooke	Parker School	1965
Angie Piacenza	Parker School	1966
Ruth Virgin	Parker School	1966
Marie Ransom	Vining School	1955
Alice Corrieri	Vining School	1961
Ruth Melendy	Vining School	1963
Doris Ducette	Vining School	1966
Grace Mangiasi	Vining School	1955
Mary McLaughlin	Ditson School	1951
Anna Padula	Ditson School	1959
Lillie Scott	Ditson School	1965
Mary P. Granfield	Dutile School	1955
Lillian Mucci	Dutile School	1965
Esther Walsh	Dutile School	1965
Rita Granfield	Dutile School	1966
Gladys Rock	Dutile School	1965
Julia Kerivan	Kennedy School	1964
Catherine Querze	Kennedy School	1966
Rita Lohnes	Kennedy School	1966
Andrey Zediana	Kennedy School	1966
Isabelle Joyce	Kennedy School	1966
Eileen Ryan	Talbot School	1966
Dorothy LeLacheur	Talbot School	1966
Ida Clark	Talbot School	1966

TRAFFIC OFFICERS

Frank Bristol
Lloyd Crandall, Sr.
Edward F. Finn
Manuel Furtado
Ronald Hamilton
Archibal G. March
William McNulty, Sr.
Elmer Perry
Joseph P. Revane
Royal A. David

MACHINE OPERATOR

Diane M. Lavery	High School	1967

LIBRARY ASSISTANT

Helen V. Dolan		1967

ANNUAL REPORT

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY REGIONAL

VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1968

During 1967, the School Committee met on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the District office at 240 Cambridge Street, Burlington. In addition, special meetings were held in order to facilitate planning of the new school. In March, members elected to the School Committee for three years included: Mr. Kenneth Buffum, Billerica; Mr. Wallace Haigh, Burlington; Mrs. Anthony Anderson, Tewksbury; Mr. Frank McLean, Wilmington. Mr. William Bullen of Tewksbury resigned on April 11, 1967, and Mr. James Johnson was appointed to fill the unexpired term. For the balance of the year, the membership and terms of office were as follows:

Name of Member	Term Expires
BEDFORD	
Mr. Fred Keough	1968
Mr. Joseph Rogers	1969
BILLERICA	
Mr. Everett McCue	1969
Mr. Kenneth Buffum	1970
BURLINGTON	
Mr. James Cipoletta	1969
Mr. Wallace Haigh	1970
TEWKSBURY	
Mr. James Johnson	1968
Mrs. Anthony Anderson	1970
WILMINGTON	
Mr. Richard Keane	1968
Mr. Frank McLean	1970

On April 1st, the officers elected were as follows: Mr. Richard Keane, Chairman; Mr. Fred Keough, Vice Chairman, and Mr. Wallace Haigh, Secretary-Treasurer.

The property located at 92 Cook Street in Billerica was acquired as the site for the school. To develop the site in preparation for the building of the school, a property line and topographical survey was made. Further developments included testing for the location of subsurface sewerage under the direction of engineers of the State Department of Public Health and the Architects' office. In the near future, test borings

will be made, and site clearance will be started.

An agreement was signed with the architectural firm of Korslund, LeNormand & Quann, Inc.

Due to the importance of the curriculum, new surveys of occupational interest of students in the region and the idustrial needs of the area were conducted to assist the Committee in deciding the courses to be offered. The educational specifications which serve as a guide to the Architects were prepared and discussed in detail and were approved by the Committee. These were then submitted to the Massachusetts Department of Education and approved by the Bureau of Vocational Education and School Building Assistance Bureau.

The next phase in the development of the school was the schematic design and equipment layouts. These plans were accepted and approved by the School Building Assistance Bureau, and are in the process of being reviewed by the Bureau of Vocational Education.

In order to familiarize the residents of the five towns as to the proposed physical facilities and objectives of the school, the Committee prepared an eight page brochure for distribution to the townspeople in the District. Public meetings were held in the member towns. Approval was received from all five towns for authorization to issue bonds in the amount of $4,225,000 which is expected to cover the cost of the land, building and equipping of the new school.

The Committee voted an operating budget of $40,000.00 for the year 1968. Appendix A (2 pages) shows the District Treasurer's report through December 31, 1967. A capital budget report is shown in Appendix B. The amount to be raised by taxation from each member town is shown in Appedix C.

Looking ahead in 1968, we anticipate that final plans will be ready in the spring, making it possible to start construction by early summer.

The Committee is most appreciative of the fine support and assistance given this project by the townspeople.

For The Committee

RICHARD E. KEANE
Chairman

APPENDIX A

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

TREASURER'S REPORT THRU DECEMBER 30, 1967

INCOME

Balance forward - 1966	$38,399.22
Bedford	902.04
Billerica	1,848.39
Burlington	1,571.72
Tewksbury	1,537.69
Wilmington	1,219.87

Interest from C.D.	376.14	
Total Income		$45,855.07
State Reimbursement for Director's Salary		7,000.00
Total Income		$52,855.07

GENERAL COMMITTEE

School Committee Salary Items	Expended to Date	Encumbered	Account Remainder	Est. Exp. thru 12-31-67	Est. Yr. End Balance
Accountant's Fee	$ 130.00	$ 0.00	$ 870.00	$ 160.00	$ 840.00
Legal Counsel	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	1,000.00	200.00
Clerk	352.50	0.00	167.50	387.50	132.50
Subtotals	$ 482.50	$ 0.00	$ 2,237.50	$ 1,547.50	$ 1,172.50
Non-Salary Items					
Committee Expense	$ 80.81	$ 0.00	$ 1,499.19	$ 150.00	$ 1,430.00
Treasurer's Bond	160.00	0.00	40.00	160.00	40.00
Subtotals	$ 240.81	$ 0.00	$ 1,539.19	$ 310.00	$ 1,470.00

SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR

Salary Items					
Director	$12,833.26	$ 0.00	$ 1,166.74	$14,000.00	$ 0.00
Guidance Director	0.00	0.00	2,700.00	0.00	2,700.00
Secretary	4,031.25	0.00	368.75	4,400.00	0.00
Clerical	234.00	0.00	766.00	234.00	766.00
Consultant Fees	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00
Subtotals	$17,098.51	$ 0.00	$10,001.49	$18,634.00	$ 8,466.00

NON-SALARY ITEMS

Office Expense					
Rent	$ 1,650.00	$ 0.00	$ 150.00	$ 1,800.00	$ 0.00
Utilities	157.70	0.00	392.30	175.00	375.00
Telephone	725.54	0.00	74.46	800.00	0.00
Custodian	546.00	0.00	—346.00	600.00	—400.00
Operating Supplies	1,090.04	0.00	—290.04	1,200.00	—400.00
Travel Expense					
In State	$ 763.65	$ 0.00	$ 36.35	$ 900.00	$ —100.00
Out of State	229.95	0.00	1,575.00	229.95	1,570.05
Health & Ins. Prem.	156.49	0.00	143.51	176.49	123.51
Social Security	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	200.00
Printing & Brochures	1,084.00	526.73	389.27	1,610.73	389.27
Subtotal	$ 6,403.37	$ 526.73	$ 2,324.85	$ 7,492.17	$ 1,757.83
Capital Outlay					
Office Equipment	$ 1,701.95	$ 190.00	—1,091.95	$ 2,250.00	—1,450.00
Special Charges	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	200.00

Debt Service	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	500.00
Miscellaneous	0.00	0.00	2,650.00	0.00	2,650.00
TOTAL	$25,927.14	$ 176.73	$18,361.08	$30,233.67	$14,766.33

	to Date Expended	Encumbered	Remainder Account	12-31-67 Est. Exp. thru	Balance Est. Yr. End

TOTAL FUNDS

1967 Income	$ 52,855.07
Estimated Expense	30,233.67
Remainder	$ 22,621.40
1968 Budget	$ 40,000.00
1967 Remainder	22,621.40
OPERATING BUDGET REQUIRED	$ 17,378.60

APPENDIX B

CAPITAL BUDGET REPORT — 1967

Income:		
Note #1	$ 50,000.00	
Note #2	55,000.00	
Note #4	105,000.00	
Total Borrowed	210,000.00	
Interest Received	72.32	
Total Income		$210,072.32
Expenses:		
Site Payment	$ 51,222.50	
Site Survey	6,400.00	
Consultant Fees	5,050.00	
Architect Fees	15,130.00	
Interest and Fees	1,185.60	
Total Expenditure	78,988.10	
Note 1 & 2 Matured	105,000.00	183,988.10
Bond Issue Account Remainder		$ 26,084.22

1968 CAPITAL BUDGET REQUIRED

$4,225,000 Bond Issue at 4.25%	
1st half year payment	$ 91,000.00
Cost of Floating Bond Issue	9,200.00
Total Capital Budget to be raised and appropriated - 1968	$100,200.00

APPENDIX C

	Pupil Population	Percentage	Town's Share of Operating Budget	Town's Share of Capital Budget
Bedford	3,567	12.4720	$ 2,167.46	$ 12,496.94
Billerica	7,574	26.4825	4,602.29	26,535.47
Burlington	6,486	22.6783	3,941.17	22,723.66
Tewksbury	6,278	21.9511	3,814.79	21,995.00
Wilmington	4,695	16.4161	2,852.89	16,448.93
			$17,378.60	$100,200.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR

This year, 1967, has seen considerable activity and progress toward the fulfillment of the plans for the new Regional Vocational Technical High School.

OFFICE: The temporary office is located at 240 Cambridge Street, Burlington (Tel. 272-6300). It has been completely equipped and will serve as the base of operations until the new school is built.

CURRICULUM: An Occupational Needs Study was made of industry, both in the five town region and the surrounding area, in order to help determine courses to be offered. The Committee approved the following courses:

COURSE	No. of Pupils
Electrical	40
Electronics	80
Automotive	60
Auto Body	30
Product and Experimental Machining	80
Metal Fabrication	80
Carpentry	40
Chemical Laboratory Technician	30
Drafting and Design	40
Technical and Commercial Art	40
Merchandising and Secretarial Sciences	100
Culinary Arts	60
Total	680

FACILITIES PLANNING: Before completing the educational specifications of the shop and laboratory layouts, a considerable amount of research was done in visiting other schools in order to benefit by their experience. Valuable assistance was given to me and the Committee in the planning of facilities by those in education and industry who volunteered their services in an advisory capacity. A series of special reports were issued on those areas where it was felt research was needed, and would be beneficial in our planning. The following reports were made.

1. Evaluation report of 19 schools
2. Secretarial Sciences at the Southern Nevada Technical Institute

3. Automotive
4. Culinary Arts
5. Servicing of Heavy Duty Equipment

EDUCATIONAL SPECIFICATIONS: Educational specifications were developed and approved with the assistance of Mr. James L. Burke, Senior Supervisor, Bureau of Vocational Education. Approval of the educational specifications was also received from School Building Assistance Bureau.

SCHEMATIC DESIGN: The next step involved the layout of the shop and classroom areas as well as the equipment facilities in each shop and laboratory. A number of State supervisors cooperated in the development of those areas which are their specialties. Approval of this phase was made by the School Building Assistance Bureau on December 1, 1967, and is in the process of being reviewed by the Bureau of Vocational Education.

CONFERENCES: A number of conferences were attended which included those of Directors at Westfield State College, Superintendent-Directors of Regional Vocational Schools, Merrimac Valley Superintendents Meetings, Massachusetts Association of School Superintendents, Massachusetts Association of Metal Fabricators and American Vocational Association.

LEGISLATION: In December, Governor Volpe signed House Bill 1410, an act reimbursing cities and towns 50% of the expenses involved in maintaining approved vocational schools, and on December 12, he signed House Bill 1412, an act providing 15% additional State aid to certain cities and towns which are members of regional school districts.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: Attended meetings of the Greater Lowell Area Planning Commission; spoke before a number of civic organizations who are interested in the progress of our school; attended public meetings and town meetings especially concerned with the financing of the school; attended meetings of the School Committees of the five towns; at times, met with the school superintendents who serve in an advisory capacity, assisted in the preparation of the brochure that was mailed to the residents of the five towns; arranged for guidance and administrative personnel of the schools in the five towns to visit a similar vocational technical school.

CONCLUSION: A fitting climax to this year's activities was received in a letter from the Facilities Planning Section, Bureau of Vocational Education, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Washington, D.C. which, after reviewing our plans, stated, "Your school is one of the most excellent student-teacher oriented vocational-technical school plans it has been our privilege to review, and we compliment all the people involved for their vision and acumen in providing a learning facility that will prove most useful to the students, teachers, and communities served for years to come."

I am grateful to the many people who have helped, directly and indirectly, in the development of this school which I feel will be a credit to the entire region.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN WOLK
Supt.-Director

WARRANT

FOR

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

BILLERICA, MASSACHUSETTS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To Any Constable in the Town of Billerica:

Greeting:

You are hereby authorized and required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Billerica, qualified by law to vote in Elections and Town Affairs, to meet at the Parker School, Billerica Center; Talbot School, North Billerica; Ditson School, Pinehurst; Vining School, Nuttings Lake; Kennedy School, East Billerica; and the Dutile School, West Billerica, at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, March 2, 1968 to bring in their votes on one ballot for the following Town Officers:

Two members of the Board of Selectmen, One Collector of Taxes, One Associate Assessor, One Member of the Board of Health, One member of the Board of Public Welfare, Two Members of the School Committee, One member of the Cemetery Commission, all for three years; One Moderator and Two Constables, all for one year; One Member of the Planning Board for five years; One member of the Board of Public Welfare for an unexpired term of one year.

Also for the election of Ten (10) Town Meeting Members for Precinct One; Fourteen (14) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Two; Eighteen (18) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Three; Eleven (11) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Four; Nineteen (19) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Five; Eleven (11) Town Meeting Members for Precinct Six, all for three years. One (1) Town Meeting Member Precinct One.

Two (2) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of one year, and One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Two; One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of one year, and Two (2) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Three; Two (2) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of one year, and One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Four; One (1) Town Meeting Member for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Five; and Two

(2) Town Meeting Members for an unexpired term of two years for Precinct Six.

Polls will close at 8:00 P.M.

And you are further required to notify and warn the inhabitants and Town Meeting Members qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet at the Billerica Memorial High School, Saturday, March 9, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., then and there to vote on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To choose one member of the Bowers Fund Commission for a term of five years.

ARTICLE 2. To choose all necessary Town Officers.

ARTICLE 3. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers and Committees heretofore appointed.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By Law of the Town by adopting the following Wage, Salary and Hour Schedule.

Part A - Section 4 (b)
Wage, Salary and Hour Schedule effective April 1, 1968

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law as shown on the following proposed Wage-and-Salary Schedule, to become effective April 1, 1968, or take any other action relative thereto.

WAGE, SALARY and HOUR SCHEDULE
1968-1969

Job Classification		Personnel Board Recommendation			Wk. Hr.	Finance Committee Recommendation		
		Minimum	1st Step	Maximum		Minimum	1st Step	Maximum
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT								
Town Engineer and P. W. Administrator	Yr.	$12,960.00	$13,867.20	$13,340.00		$12,599.97	$13,481.96	$13,941.63
	wk.	247.32	264.63	273.67		240.45	257.28	266.07
Asst. Engineer	Yr.	$ 8,000.00	$ 8,400.00	$ 8,800.00		$ 8,000.00	$ 8,400.00	$ 8,800.00
	wk.	152.67	160.30	167.72		152.67	160.30	167.72
Jr. Engineering Aide	Yr.	$ 5,931.68	$ 6,141.28	$ 6,350.88	40	$ 5,766.90	$ 5,970.68	$ 6,174.45
	wk.	113.20	117.20	121.20		110.06	113.94	117.83
	hr.	2.83	2.93	3.03		2.75	2.85	2.95
Principal Clerk (Office Mgr.)	Yr.	$ 6,722.02	$ 6,958.03	$ 7,199.66		$ 6,535.28	$ 6,764.74	$ 6,999.65
	wk.	128.28	132.79	137.40		124.72	129.10	133.58
Billing Machine Operator	Yr.	$ 4,192.00	$ 4,338.72	$ 4,464.48	40	$ 4,075.54	$ 4,218.10	$ 4,340.37
	wk.	80.00	82.80	85.20		77.78	80.50	82.83
	hr.	2.00	2.07	2.13		1.94	2.01	2.07
Senior Clerk (Water Collector				$ 2,000.00	P.T.			$ 2,000.00
Water and Sewer Superintendent	Yr.	$ 7,809.24	$ 8,047.40	$ 8,329.27		$ 7,592.29	$ 7,823.75	$ 8,097.88
Highway Superintendent	wk.	149.03	153.57	158.95		144.89	149.30	154.53
Cemetery Superintendent	Yr.	$ 7,196.47	$ 7,564.26	$ 7,821.72		$ 6,996.55	$ 7,354.12	$ 7,604.43
	wk.	138.33	144.35	150.41		134.49	140.34	146.23
Tree, Park and Moth Superintendent	Yr.	$ 7,091.05	$ 7,340.47	$ 7,594.08		$ 6,894.06	$ 7,136.55	$ 7,383.12
	wk.	135.31	140.08	144.92		131.55	136.19	140.89

Chemist	Yr.	$ 8,500.00	$ 9,000.00	$ 9,500.00		$ 8,500.00	$ 9,000.00	$ 9,500.00
	wk.	162.21	171.75	181.29		162.21	171.75	181.29
Filter Operator	Yr.	$ 6,902.13	$ 7,151.55	$ 7,426.13	40	$ 6,902.13	$ 7,151.55	$ 7,426.13
Sewage Plant Operator (Head)	wk.	131.72	136.48	141.72		131.72	136.48	141.72
	hr.	3.293	3.412	3.543		3.293	3.412	3.543
Filter Operator (Asst.)	Yr.	$ 6,677.86	$ 6,761.70	$ 6,872.78	40	$ 6,677.86	$ 6,761.70	$ 6,872.78
	wk.	127.44	129.04	131.16		127.44	129.04	131.16
	hr.	3.186	3.226	3.279		3.186	3.226	3.279
Sewage Plant Operator	Yr.	$ 6,665.28	$ 6,749.12	$ 6,853.92	40	$ 6,665.28	$ 6,749.12	$ 6,853.92
	wk.	127.20	128.80	130.80		127.20	128.80	130.80
	hr.	3.18	3.22	3.27		3.18	3.22	3.27
Filter Operator	Yr.	$ 6,235.60	$ 6,430.53	$ 6,650.61	40	$ 6,235.60	$ 6,430.53	$ 6,650.61
	wk.	119.00	122.72	126.92		119.00	122.72	126.92
	hr.	2.975	3.068	3.173		2.975	3.068	3.173
Foreman (All Depts.)	Yr.	$ 6,937.76	$ 7,210.24	$ 7,461.76	40	$ 6,745.03	$ 7,009.94	$ 7,254.47
	wk.	132.40	137.60	142.40		128.72	133.78	138.44
	hr.	3.31	3.44	3.56		3.22	3.34	3.46
Spec. Hvy Mtr. Equip. Op.	Yr.	$ 6,812.00	$ 7,042.56	$ 7,273.12	40	$ 6,622.76	$ 6,846.92	$ 7,071.07
(Grader Operator)	wk.	130.00	134.40	138.80		126.39	130.67	134.94
	hr.	3.25	3.36	3.47		3.16	3.27	3.37
Diesel and Motor Equipment	Yr.	$ 6,267.04	$ 6,602.40	$ 6,916.80	40	$ 6,092.94	$ 6,418.99	$ 6,724.65
Repairman and Welder	wk.	119.60	126.00	132.00		116.20	122.50	128.33
	hr.	2.99	3.15	3.30		2.91	3.06	3.21
Hvy. Mtr. Equip. Op-Spec (All Depts.)	Yr.	$ 5,931.68	$ 6,162.24	$ 6,329.92	40	$ 5,766.90	$ 5,991.05	$ 6,154.07
Hvy. Mtr. Equip. Op-Lab (All Depts.)	wk.	113.20	117.60	120.80		110.06	114.33	117.44
	hr.	2.83	2.94	3.02		2.75	2.86	2.94
Tree Climber	Yr.	$ 5,889.76	$ 6,057.44	$ 6,267.04	40	$ 5,726.14	$ 5,889.16	$ 6,092.94
	wk.	112.40	115.60	119.60		109.28	112.39	116.28
	hr.	2.81	2.89	2.99		2.73	2.81	2.91

Job Classification		Personnel Board Recommendation Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.	Finance Committee Recommendation Minimum	1st Step	Maximum
Meter Repairman	Yr.	$ 5,470.56	$ 5,680.16	$ 5,868.80	40	$ 5,318.59	$ 5,522.37	$ 5,705.76
	wk.	104.40	108.40	112.00		101.50	105.39	108.89
	hr.	2.61	2.71	2.80		2.54	2.63	2.72
Spec. Mtr. Equip. Op-Lab (All Depts.)	Yr.	$ 5,512.48	$ 5,617.28	$ 5,680.16	40	$ 5,359.34	$ 5,461.23	$ 5,522.37
Mtr. Equip. Op-Lab (All Depts.)	wk.	105.20	107.20	108.40	40	102.28	104.22	105.39
P. W. Maint. Man (All Depts.)	hr.	2.63	2.68	2.71	40	2.57	2.61	2.63
Carpenter-Laborer (All Depts.)	hr.	2.63	2.68	2.71	40	2.57	2.61	2.63
Meter Reader (All Depts.)	hr.	2.63	2.68	2.71	40	2.57	2.61	2.63
Laborer (All Depts.)	Yr.	$ 5,030.40	$ 5,219.04	$ 5,386.72	40	$ 4,890.66	$ 5,074.06	$ 5,237.08
	wk.	96.00	99.60	102.80		93.33	96.83	99.94
	hr.	2.40	2.49	2.57		2.33	2.42	2.50
PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT								
Fire Chief	Yr.	$ 9,760.20		$10,236.30		$ 9,489.06		$ 9,951.94
Police Chief	wk.	186.26		195.34		181.09		189,91
Asst. Fire Chief	Yr.	$ 9,046.04		$ 9,522.14		$ 8,794.74		$ 9,257.61
	wk.	172.69		181.72		167.89		176.67
Captain (Fire Dept.)	Yr.	$ 7,974.80	$ 8,450.90	$ 8,807.98	48	$ 7,753.26	$ 8,216.13	$ 8,563.29
Sergeant (Police Dept.)	wk.	152.19	161.27	168.09	40	147.96	156.79	163.42
Sergeant Inspector (Police)	wk.	152.19	161.27	168.09	40	147.96	156.79	163.42
		plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.				plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.		
Fire Mechanic	wk.							
		plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.				plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.		
Firefighter	Yr.	$ 6,546.47	$ 7,022.58	$ 7,379.66	48	$ 6,364.60	$ 6,827.49	$ 7,174.65
Patrolman	wk.	124.93	134.02	140.83	40	121.46	130.30	136.92
Patrolman Inspector	wk.							

		plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.				plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.		
Fingerprinter-Photographer	wk.							
		plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.				plus $10. per wk. for asgmt.		
Jr. Building Custodian and	Yr.	$ 6,546.47	$ 7,022.58	$ 7,379.66	40	$ 6,364.60	$ 6,827.49	$ 7,174.65
Maintenance Man	wk.	124.93	134.02	140.83	40	121.46	130.30	136.92
	hr.	3.123	3.350	3.52		3.036	3.257	3.422
Patrolman Permanent-Intermit.	hr.			2.98	P.T.			2.90
Matron	hr.			2.98	P.T.			2.90
Call Fireman	hr.			2.78	P.T.			2.70
		TOWN HALL						
Accountant	Yr.	$ 7,617.72	$ 8,318.65	$ 8,966.69		$ 7,617.72	$ 8,318.65	$ 8,966.69
Building Inspector	wk.	145.37	158.75	171.12		145.37	158.75	171.12
Public Health Agent	wk.	145.37	158.75	171.12		145.37	158.75	171.12
Building Inspector Perm-Interm.	hr.			3.08	P.T.			2.99
Plumbing and Gas Inspector	Yr.	$ 7,141.60	$ 7,829.32	$ 8,468.54		$ 7,141.60	$ 7,829.32	$ 8,468.54
	wk.	136.30	149.41	161.61		136.30	149.41	161.61
Public Health Nurse I	Yr.	$ 6,286.48	$ 6,532.68	$ 6,818.34	40	$ 6,112.84	$ 6,351.22	$ 6,628.94
	wk.	119.97	124.67	130.12		116.65	121.01	126.51
Public Health Nurse II	Yr.	$ 5,639.49	$ 5,884.68	$ 6,170.34	40	$ 5,531.44	$ 5,662.87	$ 5,998.93
	wk.	107.62	112.30	117.75		104.63	108.99	114.48
Jr. Building Custodian	Yr.	$ 5,847.84	$ 6,078.40	$ 6,350.88	40	$ 5,685.39	$ 5,909.54	$ 6,174.45
	wk.	111.60	116.00	121.20		108.50	112.78	117.83
	hr.	2.79	2.90	3.03		2.71	2.82	2.95
Principal Clerk	Yr.	$ 4,757.92	$ 4,904.64	$ 5,093.28	40	$ 4,625.74	$ 4,768.39	$ 4,951.79
	wk.	90.80	93.60	97.20		88.28	91.00	94.50
	hr.	2.27	2.34	2.43		2.21	2.27	2.36
Senior Clerk-Stenographer	Yr.	$ 4,359.68	$ 4,506.40	$ 4,674.08	40	$ 4,238.57	$ 4,381.21	$ 4,544.23
	wk.	83.20	86.00	89.20		80.89	83.61	86.72
	hr.	2.08	2.15	2.23		2.02	2.09	2.17

Job Classification		Personnel Board Recommendation Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Wk. Hr.	Finance Committee Recommendation Minimum	1st Step	Maximum
Junior Clerk-Stenographer	Yr.	$ 3,961.44	$ 4,108.16	$ 4,233.92	40	$ 3,851.39	$ 3,994.04	$ 4,116.30
Junior Clerk-Typist	wk.	75.60	78.40	80.80		73.50	76.22	78.56
	hr.	1.89	1.96	2.02		1.84	1.91	1.96
PART-TIME EMPLOYEES								
Dog Officer	Yr.			$ 1,728.00	P.T.			$ 1,680.00
Cattle Inspector	Yr.			$ 270.00	P.T.			$ 262.50
Civil Defense Director	Yr.			$ 1,404.00	P.T.			$ 1,365.00
Inspector of Wires	Yr.			$ 1,944.00	P.T.			$ 1,890.00
Inspector of Wires (Asst.)	Yr.			$ 864.00	P.T.			$ 840.00
Milk Inspector-Sanitarian	Yr.			$ 2,430.00	P.T.			$ 2,362.49
Sealer of Weights & Measures	Yr.			$ 1,296.00	P.T.			$ 1,260.00
Veterans' Agent	Yr.			$ 1,620.00	P.T.			$ 1,575.00
Clerk to Board of Selectmen	Yr.			$ 648.00	P.T.			$ 630.00
Board of Registrars								
Chairman	Yr.			$ 351.00	P.T.			$ 341.25
Members (2)	Yr.			243.00	P.T.			236.25
Member Ex- Officio	Yr.	($50. per each Town Clerk		450.00	P.T.			
Listers	hr.	1,000 registered voters)		1.84	P.T.			1.79
Wardens	hr.			2.31	P.T.			2.25
Deupty Wardens	hr.			2.03	P.T.			1.97
Clerks	hr.			2.31	P.T.			2.25
Deputy Clerks	hr.			2.03	P.T.			1.97
Inspectors	hr.			2.03	P.T.			1.97
Deputy Inspectors	hr.			2.03	P.T.			1.97

Counters	hr.	1.74	P.T.	1.69
RECREATION DEPARTMENT				
Winter Program - 15 Weeks (4 hr. session)				
Director	Season	$ 345.60	P.T.	$ 320.00
Asst. Director	Season	259.20	P.T.	240.00
Instructors:				
Twirling	Season	81.00	P.T.	75.00
Bowling (1st)	Session	14.04	P.T.	13.00
Bowling (2nd)	Session	12.96	P.T.	12.00
Modern Dance	Session	10.80	P.T.	10.00
Volleyball	Session	10.80	P.T.	10.00
Basketball Manager	Session	14.04	P.T.	13.00
Leaders (Saturday only)	Session	16.21	P.T.	15.00
Summer Program - 8 weeks (6 - 8 hr. day)				
Director	wk.	91.80	P.T.	85.00
Asst. Director	wk.	75.60	P.T.	70.00
Leaders and Nature Study Leader	wk.	70.20	P.T.	65.00
Aides	wk.	64.80	P.T.	60.00
Twi-League				
Baseball Coach	Season	172.80	P.T.	160.00
Basketball Coach	Season	172.80	P.T.	160.00

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to fix the compensation of the following elective officers of the Town and determine that any salary increase approved shall become effective April 1st.

Item No.	Office	Annual Salary
1	Selectmen	
1a	Chairman	$ 1,200.00
1b	Members (4)	1,000.00 - Each
2	Town Clerk	7,748.00
3	Treasurer	7,269.00
4	Collector of Taxes	8,582.00
5	Principal Assessor	8,582.00
6	Associate Assessors (2)	1,575.00 - Each
7	Board of Health	
	Chairman	525.00
8	Board of Health	
	Others (2)	315.00 - Each
9	Board of Public Welfare (3)	315.00 - Each

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Finance Committee

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to provide for a reserve fund, and to determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate, including appropriations from available funds, to defray charges and expenses of the Town, including debt and interest, for the ensuing year; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Finance Committee

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1968 and January 1, 1969, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17; or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise transfer a sum of money to aid in the support of the Bennett Public Library; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Bennett Public Library Association

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $15,991.80 to pay the following 1967 bills: Veterans' Benefits: Cushing Hospital, $1,787.00, Lawrence McCartin, M.D., $37.00, William Hill, M.D., $55.00, McCormack's Drug Store, $542.00, Robert B. Brigham Hospital, $242.28, John Q. Marshall, M.D., $430.95, Towne Plaza Drug, Inc., $271.20, G.H. Boynton, M.D., $93.00, Pawtucket Pharmacy, $200.80, Leahey Eye Clinic, $14.60, Billerica Pharmacy, $243.44, St. John's Hospital, $623.40, Charles Benedetti, M.D., $30.00, Dale Pharmacy, $5.50, Orland S. Marshall, M.D., $5.00, Winchester Hospi-

tal, $7.17, Dr. A. H. Giles, $117.00, Dr. F. J. Kostylo, $10.00, Boston Hospital for Women, $211.45, J. D. Maloney, M.D., $10.00, Theodore Feldman, M.D., $81.00, Limby's Pharmacy, $113.60. Mt. Pleasant Nursing Home, $346.41, C. Choate Memorial Hospital, $795.21, John P. Meskunas, M.D., $10.00, Charles Chigas, D.M.D., $10.00, Frank Heifetz, M.D., $14.00, Leonard Bram, M.D., $7.00, Dr. S. M. Coleman, $4.00, Family Services of Lowell, $617.82, Yvonne Burdette, R.P.T., $204.00, Mt. Pleasant Hospital (Lynn), $72.00, D. J. Kiersey, M.D., $22.00, Edward Tober, M.D., $175.00. Lowell General Hospital, $543.53, Simmons Nursing Home, $865.49, David Latham, M.D., $5.00, Dr. Simon Bagdigian, $53.00, William Wolf, M.D., $71.00, David Willard, M.D., $10.00, Medical Associates (Chelmsford), $22.50, Edward Petronio, D.M.D., $38.00, Massachusetts General Hospital, $8.55, Stephen Tolman, D.M.D., $39.00, Harry Levine, M.D., $5.00, Billerica Medical Laboratory, $50.00, St. Joseph's Hospital, $2,204.90, American Ambulance Service, $15.00, Children's Hospital Medical Center, $3,067.75, IGA Foodliner, $30.00, Purity Sav-Mor Market, $35.00, DeMoulas' Market, $30.00, Department of Public Works, Snow and Sand, Suburban Builders Realty Trust, $1,024.00; M. A. Bent & Son, $229.50; John J. Allen, $110.25; J. Marshall Lefebvre, $82.50; Board of Selectmen, 1966 bill, Morris Short, $43.00; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $28,070.00 to be used to employ four permanent police officers and furnish equipment for the same; the sum of $20,956.00 to the regular salaries account of the Police Department, and the sum of $1,500.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase two station wagon type cruisers and two four-door sedan type cruisers for the Billerica Police Department, and that the Board of Selectmen be authorized to dispose of the three 1967 Dodge station wagon type cruisers to be applied against the purchase price of the four new vehicles; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to purchase a radar timer for the Billerica Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to purchase breath analyzing equipment for the Billerica Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a trained police dog for the Billerica Police Department; this to entail the cost of training, kennels, maintenance, and extra compensation for the officer assigned as dog handler; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Committee to make a study of the Billerica Police Station with regard to enlarging same, and to report at the next annual Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Police Department

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the following sums of money to pay the three stated Police Officers for losses due to differential in pay scale: Officers Steele, $634.00; Adams, $535.00; and Lee, $532.00, for a total of $1,711.00; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Police Relief Association

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for a new 3/4 ton pick-up truck for the Fire Department, the 1962 Chevrolet pick-up truck to be disposed of at the discretion of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to employ 9 additional permanent men for the Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $49,788.00 for additional permanent men and equipment for same in the event the preceding article is accepted; the sum of $48,748.00 to be added to the regular salaries account of the Fire Department and the sum of $1,040.00 to be added to the regular expense account of the Fire Department, the additional men to start employment on or about April 1, 1968; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,684.00 for the purpose of changing over the present fire alarm battery system to transistor units to cover ten circuits; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $635.00 to extend the fire

alarm wires from Box 716 a distance of about one-half mile on Wyman Road to the corner of Partridge Road and Meade Road and install a new fire alarm box; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,500.00, as provided in Chapter 32, Section 89, General Laws, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, to the widow of Harry B. Connell, Sr., who died while performing his duties as a call fire fighter in the fire service of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 58D of Chapter 48 of the General Laws, providing for a forty-two hour work week for the permanent members of the Fire Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Albert F. J. Finn, Jr. and others

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote under the provisions of Chapter 83 and Section 8 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth as amended:

1. To raise and appropriate a sum of money and determine how said sum shall be raised, whether by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, and/or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as amended, or by a combination of the same, said sum to be used in conjunction with any Federal Funds as may be made available under Public Law 660, Public Law 136 and/or Public Law 117, and State Funds as may be available under Chapter 685 and 687 of the Acts of 1966, or any other available funds for the purpose of laying out and constructing additions and extensions to the Town's system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal and for the purchase of all necessary land and easements as may be required for the additions and extensions to said system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal, including pumping stations; and authorize that the Board of Selectmen, acting for and on behalf of the Town, shall have full power and authority to lay out and construct said additions and extensions to the Town's system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal, and to make application in the name of and on behalf of the Town for any Federal or State aid in connection with this sewer project;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing water mains of six (6) inch mains or larger; and authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire all necessary easements by gift, purchase or by seizure by right of eminent domain;

and to determine whether the same shall be raised by transfer from available funds, by borrowing under Chapter 44 of the General Laws; and to authorize the Board of Public Works to apply for, accept and use any money that may become available for the purpose from the Federal and/or State Government; or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for water main extensions of six inch mains or larger, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxes, transfer from available funds, or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Water Committee

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to ratify and confirm the act of the Board of Selectmen in conveying to Pinecrest, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation having its principal place of business in Billerica, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, Lots 698 and 699 Argyle Street, as shown on a plan entitled "The Pines, Billerica, Mass., owned by Frank W. Coughlin", dated June 1912, recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans 30, Plan 13, which lots were conveyed by said Selectmen to Pinecrest, Inc., by deed dated May 10, 1965, recorded with said Deeds in Book 1708, Page 502; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a new two and one-half (2½) ton Dump Cab and Chassis; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the old Cab and Chassis in Water Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a Road Sweeper; the old Sweeper to be used towards the purchase price of the new Sweeper; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a Side Walk Snow Plow; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a new Four-Wheel Drive Truck, present Four-Wheel Drive Truck to be used toward purchase of new Truck, in Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a new Car for the Public Works Administrator; Radio to be changed from present Car to new Car; the present car in Public Works to be used toward the purchase of new Car; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a Pick-up Truck for the Sewer Section of Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a truck which will replace the Flat Body Truck in the Water Department of Public Works; the present truck to be used toward the purchase price of the new truck; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a new Truck and Crane for the Tree Section of Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the installation of Fire Pre-emption Lights at the Pinehurst Fire Station on Boston Road; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $300.00 to participate in the in-service training program for Civil Engineering as set up by the Massachusetts Department of Education; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to remove Ledge on the northeasterly side of River Street, from Bridle Road, southeast to the Concord River; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a Sander Body for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a Pull-broom to be used in Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a Surface Drain on Lindsay Road from a point near the northerly line of Lot #144 that is northerly for a distance of approximately 600 feet to an existing drainage system; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a Surface Drain on Friendship Street for a distance of approximately 500 feet to existing drainage system on Lexington Road; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a Public Works Building; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to repair or buy a new 2½ ton Cab and Chassis to replace truck which was in an accident on January 30, 1968; or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a new Pick-up Truck for the Public Works Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the Engineering Work necessary for the construction of a sidewalk from the intersection of High Street and Pollard Street, Northerly on Pollard Street to Fordway Bridge, or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a sidewalk from Allen Road on Baldwin Road, for a distance of approximately one mile; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a

sidewalk between Westminster Street and Kimbrough Road, a distance of 75 yards; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $4,000.00 for engineering work to build sidewalks along Baldwin Road from Route 129 to a distance of about one mile; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Edward D. Shane and others

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to construct a sidewalk on Middlesex Turnpike from Concord Road to Nuttings Lake; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Mrs. Raymond F. Bouley and others

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the reconstruction of Whipple Road. Said reconstruction to consist of installation of proper drainage, a gravel base, bituminous curbing; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the construction of a surface drain on Charlesmere Road from a distance of approximately sixty feet south of Treble Cove Road to Manor Road, easterly on Manor Road approximately 75 feet to a proposed street (south by said proposed street) to a distance of approximately 140 feet to the Concord River; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to repair the Skating Rink at the Billerica Football Field, also provide a roof, lights, and spraying equipment; also consider who will supervise the activities and maintain in operating condition; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $100,000.00 for the reconstruction of roads in accordance with the 1968 Road Reconstruction Program as set up by the Board of Selectmen, said work to be done by contract; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the land taken by tax foreclosure, and now in tax possession, to the Park Department for playground purposes, described as follows: Book 1158, Page 166:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the premises on the east

side of the road leading from Billerica to Lowell and running north on said road 16¼ rods to a stake and stones at land now or formerly of John E. Rowell, thence east on said land now or formerly of said Rowell 33 rods to a stone wall and land now or formerly of the heirs of Francis Sheldon, thence south 12 rods to land of B. & L.R.R., thence by R. R. 37 rods to point of beginning, contains three acres on High Street;

or act in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of rebuilding and maintaining two regulation baseball fields; one at Akerson Field, and one at River Pines Field; also one non-regulation baseball field Kohlrausch Field; said funds to be spent under the sole control of the Billerica Recreation Commission in conformance with the intent of this Article; or take any action in relation thereto.

Submitted by Roger G. Seymour and others

ARTICLE 57. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 for maintaining the Billerica Little League Field and to aid in the support of the Little League; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Little League

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to aid in the operation of the Billerica Bantam-Pee Wee youth program, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Billerica Hockey Association; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Billerica Hockey Association

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $500.00 to aid in the operation of the Babe Ruth League, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Babe Ruth League Committee; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Babe Ruth League Committee

ARTICLE 60. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,544.95 as Billerica's share in the State Mental Health Program; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Department of Public Health

ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,500.00 to purchase a tractor with attachments, a chain saw and gas units for thawing frozen ground, for the Cemetery Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Cemetery Department

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will vote to add the following section to the Zoning By-Law:

Section 5

8. APARTMENTS

8.0 Apartment buildings may be constructed in the following districts provided that a plot plan certified by a registered professional engineer or architect is submitted and approved by the Building Inspector showing that the buildings are located on an existing sewer line:

Village Residence
Neighborhood Residence
Rural Residence
General Business
Neighborhood Business

8.01 An apartment lot shall be not less than one (1) acre in area and not less than one hundred fifty (150) feet in width throughout the first one hundred (100) feet of depth of such lot from the frontage street lot line.

8.02 On an apartment lot there shall be provided an open yard space not to be built on of not less than forty (40) feet depth all along the front and rear lot lines and thirty (30) feet depth all along each side line of such lot.

8.03 Buildings on apartment lots shall not exceed three (3) stories nor fifty (50) feet in height, notwithstanding any building height provisions in the zoning district in which such buildings are situated.

8.04 Each apartment building shall contain not less than four (4) apartment units per building and there shall be not more than twelve (12) apartment units for each minimum size apartment lot. Provided that for each additional apartment unit, there shall be not less than thirty five hundred (3,500) square feet of land together with twelve and one-half (12½) feet of additional frontage along the street line.

8.05 For each apartment building, there shall be provided parking space for one and one half (1½) cars for each apartment unit in the rear of the building only.

8.06 There shall be a minimum distance of thirty (30) feet between buildings, and each building shall be surrounded by a fire lane, subject however, to the provisions that buildings may be inter-connected by corridors or walkways, if provision is made for access by fire apparatus to all outside walls.

8.07 There shall be sound proofing meeting minimum F.H.A. standards between each apartment unit.

8.08 External walls shall be of a brick type veneer or an equal type of fire proof material;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Rural Residence District to an Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by Alfred J. Trozzi and Valentino Giorgianni on Middlesex Turnpike, bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by Middlesex Turnpike, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, three hundred fifty-eight and 52/100 (358.52) feet;

Southeasterly by land of John Cuozzo, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, one hundred seventy-two and 27/100 (172.27) feet;

Southwesterly again by land of John Cuozzo, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, two hundred fifty-nine and 48/100 (259.48) feet;

Southerly by Right of Way as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, by two (2) bounds, two hundred eighty-eight and 40/100 (288.40) feet and one hundred ninety-eight and 69/100 (198.69) feet;

Westerly by Osage Road, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned; two hundred one and 60/100 (201.60) feet;

Southerly by land of Hobert, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, by two (2) bounds, two hundred twenty (220) feet and two hundred thirty-nine and 44/100 (239.44) feet;

Easterly by Wyman Road, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, three hundred sixty-three and 63/100 (363.63) feet;

Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Allan B. Calhamer also shown as Lot 1 on plan hereinafter mentioned, one hundred ninety-seven and 35/100 (197.35) feet;

Northeasterly again by land now or formerly of Allan B. Calhamer and Lot 1, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, one hundred twenty-three and 15/100 (123.15) feet;

Easterly again by land now or formerly of Allan B. Calhamer, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, in two (2) courses, two hundred fifty-three and 23/100 (253.23) feet and two hundred forty-eight and 54/100 (248.54) feet; and

Northerly by land now or formerly of Isabelle M. Martin, as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, one thousand three hundred five (1,305) feet, more or less

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 64. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,000.00 for the Industrial Commission; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 65. To see if the Town will vote to add in the Zoning By-Law by adding the following paragraph to section 5, paragraph 3.7 in general business districts, light electronic industries or industries of

similar nature on petition, subject to site plan review and approval to the Board of Appeals, after a public hearing thereon, with due notice given, any light industry may be allowed in a general business zone; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 66. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out, under Section 10, paragraph 6 — Lot Areas and Lot Widths Required — the figure 35 percent and substitute 65 percent; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 67. To see if the Town will accept Chapter 697 of the Acts of 1963 "An Act establishing the Massachusetts Historical Commission and authorizing Cities and Towns to establish Historical Commissions," or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Historical Society Commission

ARTICLE 68. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $200.00 for updating the By-Laws of the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the By-Law Committee

ARTICLE 69. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 for landscaping and purchasing trees, shrubbery and replacing old trees for the Tree Department; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 70. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose of having a series of band concerts on the Billerica Center Common during the summer months; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 71. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to recondition the Common; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 72. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to repair and landscape the First Meeting House Memorial located on the Common; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Garden Club

ARTICLE 73. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate

or transfer from available funds the sum of $1,000.00 to microfilm the records in the office of the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Town Clerk

ARTICLE 74. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of preserving "The Great Deed" of the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Town Clerk

ARTICLE 75. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing or renting voting machines for the Town of Billerica; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Town Clerk

ARTICLE 76. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $5,000.00, under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C, for the purpose of maintaining the Conservation Commission; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 77. To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidewater, foreshores and shores along a public beach, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 78. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding a new "Section 5A" after Section 5 as it appears on Pages 3 to 11 inclusive in the Zoning By-Law booklet, to read as follows:

> Section 5 - Exceptions: The Board of Appeals may grant, as an exception from the provisions of this by-law, in any and all zoning districts, the right to create and maintain an artificial pond for private or public use, and for that purpose to excavate and remove from the premises sand, gravel and other like earth materials, to such depth and over such area as the Board shall determine, provided that the Board of Appeals, after public hearing as provided in Section 4 and Section 17 of Chapter 40A of the General Laws of Massachusetts, shall determine that such use will be in harmony with the general

purpose and intent of the Zoning By-Law. Any such permit shall be subject to such rules, regulations or conditions as may be laid down by the Board of Appeals at the time of the granting of the permit and which are incorporated as part of any such permit; and provided further that no such permit shall be effective until the area involved has been approved by the Department of Natural Resources of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, The Middlesex Conservation District and the Billerica Conservation Commission;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Billerica Conservation Commission

ARTICLE 79. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Neighborhood Residence District to an Industrial District the whole or any part of land owned by J. E. Farmer and Phyllis C. Farmer, on Webb Brook and Allen Road, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at Northeast corner of land of Fred H. McAdams and the south side of Webb Brook Road and running northeasterly and southeasterly a distance of 983.86 feet along Webb Brook Road and Allen Road to the land of Charles P. and Joanne S. Pleskowicz, thence running southerly 246 feet along said Pleskowicz, thence running easterly 275 feet along land of said Pleskowicz, thence running southerly a distance of 492.95 feet along land of Estelle Landy, Daniel F. Finn and John and Marie Curtin, thence running westerly 372.40 feet and southerly 354.75 feet along land of Jeremiah F. Kelliher, thence running westerly 475 feet along land of Towne Shopping Center and Costos G. Psoinos and Antonios Datsikas, thence running northerly 593 feet along land of The Loyal Order of the Moose Lodge #1066 and James E. and Phyllis C. Farmer, thence running westerly 612 feet along land of said Farmer, thence running northerly 319.19 feet along land of James M. and Mary Glavine and Frederick J. and Mildred E. Glavine, thence running 530.31 feet easterly and 415 feet northerly along land of Fred H. McAdams to point of beginning;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 80. To see if the Town will amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map by rezoning from a Residential District to a Business District the whole or any part of land owned by Arthur A. Angell at 502 Boston Road, bounded and described as follows:

163 ft. frontage and 255 ft. deep;

Bounded on the north by Town of Billerica, driveway to water Tower and Musgraves' Tower Farm on the other side of this driveway;

Bounded on the east by Town of Billerica Water Tower property;

Bounded on the south by Surette Brothers' Greenhouses and a house lot owned by Athelia Cristinsen and bounded on the west by Boston Road;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 81. To see if the Town will vote to add in the Zoning By-Law the following paragraph to Section 5, Paragraph 3.7 in General Business District, light electronic industries or industries of similar nature on petition, subject to site plan review and approval to the Board of Appeals, after a public hearing thereon, with due notice given, any light industry be allowed in a General Business Zone; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 82. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out under Section 10, Paragraph 6 — lot area and lot width required, the figure thirty-five (35) percent and substitute with sixty-five (65) percent; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by the Industrial Commission

ARTICLE 83. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for engineering and construction costs for two hundred (200) feet, more or less, of Arakelian Drive; or act in relation thereto.

Submited by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 84. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Building Inspector to appoint a full time permanent Assistant Building Inspector; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Building Inspector

ARTICLE 85. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the salary of the full time permanent Assistant Building Inspector using the following proposed 1968-1969 wage schedule:

Minimum	1st Step	Maximum	Work Hours
$7,435.00	$7,964.13	$8,493.14	40

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Building Inspector

ARTICLE 86. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $8,954.00 to be used for the operation of State-aided Evening Practical Arts education courses, including also Adult Education Courses; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by School Committee

ARTICLE 87. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for the construction of an athletic field at Memorial High School, and authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow the sum of $196,000.00 under Chapter 44, Section 7 (2), said bond to be authorized for a period of not more than ten years, and that the School Committee is authorized to take all necessary steps to carry out this project; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by School Committee

ARTICLE 88. To see if the Town will authorize the Billerica Permanent School Building Committee to have plans drawn and specifications written for the construction and original equipping of a Junior High School and to enter into such contracts as are necessary for this purpose and shall also be authorized to advertise for and receive bids for the construction of this school. These bids shall then be brought before a subsequent special or annual Town Meeting for approval and appropriation of necessary funds; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 89. To see if the Town will vote to borrow or raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $200,000.00 for the purpose set forth in the preceding article; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 90. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain, in fee, for school building purposes, any or all of the following parcels of land:

Parcel #1. The land owned by Raphael J., Natalie G., and Gwendolyn H. Murphy lying east of the B. & M. R. R. and south of Floyd Street described as Parcel #17 and #19 Plate #32 of the Assessors' maps and Parcel #9 and #47 Plate #41, less the frontage on Floyd Street to a depth of 200 feet starting 125 feet west of the land owned by Mr. Bly, running east on Floyd Street to the end of Parcel #9, containing 37 acres more or less.

Parcel #2. The land owned by Antonie Pomanarcki lying east of Treble Cove Road and north of Janice Road, described as Parcel #13, Plate #39 on the Assessors' maps less the buildings and one acre of land upon which they sit, containing 24 acres more or less.

Parcel #3. The land owned by Robert Dutile and Gus Palmieri lying south of Salem Road and east of Border Street shown as Parcels #159, 159A, 158, 161, 162, 163, 164, Plate #33 of the Assessors' maps containing approximately 30 acres more or less;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 91. To see if the Town will vote to borrow or raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purposes set forth in the preceding articles; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Permanent School Building Committee

ARTICLE 92. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to provide for erection of adequate lighting facilities at the entrances and driveways of all public schools in the Town; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Joseph S. Collentro and others

ARTICLE 93. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing and installing a proper memorial for Billerica Servicemen of all wars to be installed or erected on our Common in Billerica Center or some other suitable site; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted at request of various Veterans' Organizations

ARTICLE 94. To see if the Town will vote to approve a "Longevity Pay" to the officers and employees of the Town, except the personnel of the School Department, as follows:

> Each person employed full time by the Town shall receive annually, in addition to his regular annual compensation, an amount equal to three (3) percent of his regular annual compensation for each five (5) years of service with the Town. Any person employed full time will be eligible to receive said longevity pay only upon completion of five (5) years of continuous service. The service of an officer or employee will be determined from the date of his permanent appointment by the Town. The "Longevity Pay" of an officer or employee shall not exceed fifteen (15) percent of his regular annual compensation; and to see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money necessary to carry out such purposes;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by John F. Monahan and others

ARTICLE 95. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds a sum of money to conduct a complete, in-depth study of the management, personnel and equipment areas of the Department of Public Works, by a professional management consultant, for the purpose of reviewing and recommending the best possible usage of men and materials, and to project the needs and requirements in the coming years, or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 96. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 or transfer from available funds for the purpose of

completing a full and comprehensive traffic study radiating from the Center of Billerica, in order to relieve the present and projected traffic control problems. Said study to be under the supervision of the Chief of Police, Administrator of Public Works and the Board of Selectmen, in cooperation with the State Department of Public Works and the results of said study to be reported at the next Special or Annual Town Meeting, or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 97. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of $3,500, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, for the purpose of drawing preliminary plans and specifications for the remodeling of the basement area in the Town Hall; to complete a study of all areas in the Town Hall in relation to needs and requirements of various departments and to review the major conditions that prevail on the exterior of the Town Hall and to bring a report and recommendation at the next Special or Annual Town Meeting, or take any other action thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 98. To see if the Town will vote that there is a need for an Industrial Development Financing Authority in the Town of Billerica and that security against future unemployment and lack of business opportunity is required in the Town of Billerica and that unemployment or the threat thereof can be alleviated or the security against future unemployment and lack of business opportunity can be provided, by attracting new industry to the town or substantially expanding industry existing in the town through an industrial development project or projects financed under Chapter 772 of the Acts of 1967; and in making this determination consideration has been given to the Town's ability to adjust to any expected increase in the demand for municipal facilities and services as a result of the expected increase in employment and business activities from such industrial development; and that, in order to expedite the organization of such an authority the Selectmen are authorized and directed to appoint five directors thereof under the provisions of Chapter 772 of the Acts of 1967 and to take such further action as may be required to complete the organization and the appointment of the authority or act in any other way relative thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 99. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law Section 4 (a) by adding after the word "position" on the second line thereof the following: "or any new employee", also by adding after the word "transfer" on the second and third lines thereof the following: "or appointment" and further by deleting after the word "Head" on the fourth and fifth lines thereof the following: "subject to the approval of the Personnel Board", and further by adding after the word "promotion" on the fifth line thereof the following: "transfer or appointment"; so that Section 4 (a) will now read "An employee receiving a promotion or

transfer to a vacant position or a new position or any new employee shall upon assignment resulting from such promotion or transfer or appointment receive the minimum compensation rate for the new position. He may upon recommendation of the Department Head at the time of promotion, transfer or appointment be advanced to a step rate above the minimum but not in excess of the maximum."

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 100. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by deleting Section 5 in its entirety or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 101. To see if the Town will vote to accept Anniversary Way as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 102. To see if the Town will vote to accept Arakelian Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen; on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 103. To see if the Town will vote to accept Arrow Street as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 104. To see if the Town will vote to accept Beverly Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 105. To see if the Town will vote to accept Burnham Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk, from accepted portion of 350 feet to Station 22; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 106. To see if the Town will vote to accept Castlewood Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 107. To see if the Town will vote to accept Charme Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen; on file with the Town Clerk, from accepted portion to Brown Street; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 108. To see if the Town will vote to accept Dignon Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 109. To see if the Town will vote to accept Fillmore Drive as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 110. To see if the Town will vote to accept Gordon Terrace as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 111. To see if the Town will vote to accept Martin Drive as a public way in accordance with layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 112. To see if the Town will vote to accept Meadowlark Way as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 113. To see if the Town will vote to to accept Olive Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 114. To see if the Town will vote to accept Ox Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 115. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pickowicz Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk, 191 feet from Dignan Road; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 116. To see if the Town will vote to accept Pondover Road as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen; on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 117. To see if the Town will vote to accept Priscilla Lane

as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 118. To see if the Town will vote to accept Putney Circle as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk, 1723 feet; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 119. To see if the Town will vote to accept Tercentennial Drive from Kenrick Road northeast to the end as a public way in accordance with the layout by the Board of Selectmen, on file with the Town Clerk, approximately 2100 feet, more or less; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Public Works Department

ARTICLE 120. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by deleting from the clause titled 'Non-Occupational Sick Leave' the following, "unused sick leave to be accumulative to 50 days for full time permanent employees of the Town except the Police and Fire Departments," and to insert the following, "unused sick leave to be accumulative for 90 days for permanent full time employees of the Town except the Police and Fire Departments;" or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 121. To see if the Town will vote to insert in the Personnel By-Law under fringe benefits, a paragraph entitled:

> OCCUPATIONAL SICK LEAVE - to read as follows:
> Every employe entitled to sick leave under the Non-Occupational Sick Leave classification, may use a portion of accumulated sick leave in conjunction with Workmen's Compensation benefits, to equal a week's base pay;

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 122. To see if the Town will vote to change the working hours of the Sewerage Plant Operators from forty-four (44) hours to forty (40) hours per week, and to change the working hours of the Filter Operators from forty-eight (48) hours to forty (40) hours per week; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 123. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by deleting, under Fringe Benefits, Section I, Paragraph B entitled "Pay for Overtime Work," and inserting the following:

> "With the exception of Department Heads, overtime shall be paid in the Police and Fire Departments at a time and a half rate or compensatory time off shall be given as the work load permits, for work time in excess of the regular work week.

Court time, which is governed by State regulations, is excluded;"

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Personnel Board

ARTICLE 124. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Board By-Law by adding a sub-section to the present Section entitled "Holiday Pay" as follows:

"Sub-Section C — In order for any regular full time and/or permanent employee of the Town to be eligible for the above holiday pay, it shall be required that he work his regular work day prior to, and regular work day following said holiday;"

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 125. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to purchase a fully equipped rescue truck for the Department of Civil Defense; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Department of Civil Defense

ARTICLE 126. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair and/or rebuild the concrete apron in front of the Town Hall; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE 127. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a sum of money for a stabilization fund for capital outlays under the authority of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Finance Committee

ARTICLE 128. To see if the Town will vote to transer from Free Cash a sum of money to be used to apply to the 1968 tax rate; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Finance Committee

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof, one copy at the Town Hall, one copy at the Parker School, one copy at the Talbot School, one copy at the Ditson School, one copy at the Vining School, one copy at the Dutile School, one copy at the Kennedy School, and one copy at each of the Post Offices of the Town, and one copy at ten public places at least eight days before said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this third day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-eight.

PAUL F. NEWMAN, Chairman
STUART L. POTTER, Vice-Chairman
RUSSELL A. YOUNG, Secretary
DONALD W. DAVIS
VINCENT M. PADULA
Board of Selectmen

A true copy
Attest:
JOSEPH L. RYAN,
Constable

WARRANT

FOR

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

BILLERICA, MASSACHUSETTS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To Any Constable in the Town of Billerica:

Greeting:

You are hereby authorized and required to notify and warn the inhabitants and Town Meeting Members of said Town of Billerica, qualified by law to vote in Election and Affairs to meet at the Billerica Memorial High School, Saturday, March 9, 1968, at 2:00 P.M., then and there to vote on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to order and direct the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain, in fee, for Sanitary Landfill purposes approximately forty (40) acres bounded and described as follows:

A parcel of land owned by the Consolidated Rendering Company, located between the Concord River and the Boston and Maine Railroad, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by Town Farm Lane 1600 feet, more or less.
Westerly by land of the Consolidated Rendering Company 1300 feet, more or less.
Northerly by land of the Consolidated Rendering Company 1600 feet, more or less.
Easterly by the Boston and Maine Railroad 1200 feet, more or less,

or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Dump Study Committee

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money, for the purchase or taking, in fee, for Sanitary Landfill purposes approximately forty (40) acres of land as described in the previous article; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Dump Study Committee

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to contract for the collection of all combustible and noncombustible waste material including garbage, from all residences and all municipal buildings, at curbside, within the Town at least once a week and for the operation of a sanitary landfill; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Dump Study Committee

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to contract for the collection of all combustible and noncombustible waste material, including garbage, from all residences and all municipal buildings, at curbside, within the Town at least once a week and for the purchase of equipment, materials, and operator's salaries for the Public Works Department to conduct a sanitary landfill operation; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Dump Study Committee

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to contract for the collection of all combustible and noncombustible waste material including garbage, from all residences and all municipal buildings, at curbside, within the Town at least once a week and for the removal to the incinerator or dump located in Lowell, Massachusetts; or act in relation thereto.

Submitted by Billerica Dump Study Committee

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to order and direct the Board of Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the City of Lowell for the use and/or services of the Lowell incinerator and dump disposal area, located in Lowell, Massachusetts.

Submitted by Billerica Dump Study Committee

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting true and attested copies thereof, one copy at the Town Hall, one copy at the Parker School, one copy at Billerica Memorial High School, one copy at the Talbot School, one copy at the Ditson School, one copy at the Vining School, one copy at the Dutile School, one copy at the Kennedy School, one copy at each of the Post Offices of the Town, and one copy at ten public places at least eight days before said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-eight.

PAUL F. NEWMAN, Chairman
STUART L. POTTER, Vice-Chairman
RUSSELL A. YOUNG, Secretary
DONALD W. DAVIS
VINCENT M. PADULA
Board of Selectmen

A true copy
Attest:

JOSEPH L. RYAN,
Constable

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